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Weather Forecast

Cloudy with showers Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Low 45, high tomorrow 50.

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AP and BUP Dispatches

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He evidently was referring to the vast military reserve which the Chinese Communists are believed to have within range of the Korean fighting.

BREAK-OUT

Meanwhile, the last of 20,000 U.S. Marines and army troops escaped a Communist death trap in northeast Korea today.

Tanks bringing up the rear of the 1,000-vehicle American break-through column rolled across the coastal plains toward Hamhung and a possible Dunkerque evacuation of all 60,000 United Nations troops in northeast Korea.

Behind them, the retreating Americans left at least 20,000 dead Chinese along the 50-mile road of retreat from Yudam on the western edge of Chosin reservoir.

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U.N. Proposal May Call For 'Buffer Zone'

LAKE SUCCESS (UP)—India, with reported assurance from Communist China that its troops will not cross the 38th Parallel, drafted a resolution today that was expected to call for a general cease fire and United Nations buffer zone in Korea.

Sir Benegal Rau, chief of India's U.N. delegation, denied that Peiping had given any flat assurance that its troops would not drive into South Korea. He said only that Gen. Wu Hsiu-Chuan, chief of the Chinese Communist delegation, had told him that the U.N. would "be able to judge for itself from events on the battlefield" his government's intention toward the parallel.

But other high and reliable diplomatic sources insisted that Wu had told Rau in a conference Saturday that Peiping had no intention of crossing the parallel. Wu was said to have added that Mao Tze-Tung's government would not put this pledge in writing because "it would weaken our moral stand."

CHINA STRATEGY

Diplomatic observers felt that Communist China hoped to strike a bargain, and that their bargaining position would be better if Peiping's troops, having wrested North Korea from Gen. Douglas MacArthur's U.N. forces, respected the parallel.

Chiang Opposes A-Bomb Use Against China

WASHINGTON (AP) — Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek expressed the view today that the atom bomb should not be used on Communist China.

The Nationalist Chinese leader said he "doubted very much" that dropping the A-bomb on Communist forces "would produce the desired effect."

Chiang's views were contained in an interview copyrighted by "U.S. News and World Report," an independent weekly news magazine published in Washington.

P. Wilson, Bandsman, Dies From Gas Fumes

VANCOUVER—Paddy Wilson, well-known Vancouver bandsman, died from gas fumes early Sunday here. His wife, Della, was revived by a fire department inhalator squad.

James Smith, caretaker of the rooming house, smelled gas at 7.45 a.m. Entering the room, he found the Wilsons unconscious. Police said a gas jet was open on a cookstove.

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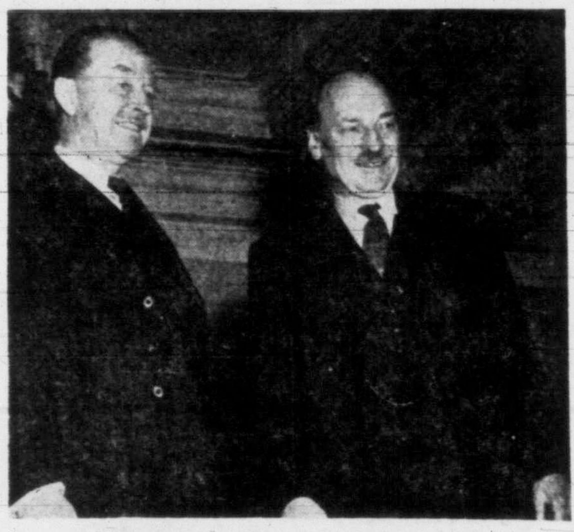

Ottawa Host And Guest

Prime Minister Attlee, concluding his visit in Ottawa, was a guest of Viscount Alexander, Governor-General, at an official dinner Sunday evening.

'Atomic War 'Suicidal Escape,' Bunche Warns

(See also Story Page 13)

OSLO (UP)—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, who mediated the Palestine war and won the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize, warned today that there is "only suicidal escape, not freedom, in the death and destruction of atomic war."

"The well-being and the hopes of the people of the world can never be served until peace—as well as freedom, honor and self-respect—are secure," the former leader of the United Nations' peace mission to Palestine said.

Bunche, 46, son of an American slave and first negro to win the award, issued his warning in a formal address 24 hours after receiving the peace prize.

The youngest man ever to win the prize, received his gold medal, diploma and a cheque for $31,178 Sunday night in a similar ceremony at Stockholm.

Bunche said:

1. Despite the fact that no nations now clamored for living room, war still loomed.
2. Only the United Nations could secure peace.
3. Nationalism was the greatest stumbling-block to peace.
4. The North Korean regime was responsible for the fighting in Korea.
5. The problem of Germany must be solved.
6. All the peoples of the world, including those in Asia and Africa, were entitled to peace, freedom and security.

"Never before has peace been more continuously in jeojardy," Bunche said.

Bunche said that "man's inventive genius" had gone beyond his "willingness to apply reason" and brought the world to the brink of total disaster.

FINDS HAPPY HAVEN

95-Yr-Old Hannah Stainer Will Be Life Of Old Ladies' Christmas Party

By DAVE STOCK

"How would you like to spend Christmas this year?"

That was the question asked by the Times of various persons for the regular Monday feature "What's Your Opinion?"

The answer given by Mrs. Hannah Stainer was that the best place to spend Christmas was the Old Ladies. Home.

Mrs. Stainer, who is 95 years old and who has been a resident of the home for the past five years, was most emphatic in her response.

"This is the best place in the town for Christmas," Mrs. Stainer declared. "I'm perfectly happy and perfectly contented. And I have been ever since I've been here.

"If I didn't think it was the best place, I wouldn't stay."

Despite her age, Mrs. Stainer is one of the more active residents at the Aged Women's Home—as it is properly called. She takes daily outings, weather permitting, and often takes trips to the public library to pick out books for other residents of the home who aren't so agile.

MRS. HANNAH STAINER . . . active, happy

Born on the Isle of Wight, in the south of England, Mrs. Stainer went to America about 50 years ago. She and her husband resided in California before coming here to live in 1914.

CROSSED OCEAN 13 TIMES

Always fond of traveling, Mrs. Stainer made many trips to and from her homeland before settling down.

"I've crossed the ocean 13 times." she seemed happy to relate.

Regarded as the life of any party at the home, Mrs. Stainer showed her talent to make people smile when the time came to have her photograph taken.

"Oh, you want my photograph, do you?

"Well, you'll make me good looking won't you—even if you have to touch it up."

Mrs. Stainer, during the course of her interview. also revealed her infinite wisdom:

"You say you're from the Times. Well, that's good. I like the Times best of all."

For other people's answer to this week's question, see 'the left hand column of page 15.

Held For Raids At Resort

R.C.M.P. investigation of a series of thefts from Shawnigan Lake summer homes has led to the arrest of Vernon Taylor, 3293 Douglas Street.

Home of Hon. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., was one of those listed as having been entered.

Arrest was made at Taylor's apartment Sunday afternoon.

Investigation started some days ago at Shawnigan Lake, when, according to police reports, a man entered his summer home and found a man seated with a companion in front of a fire. He told the owner he thought he was in another home. Following his departure the owner missed several articles.

The arrested man had been seen on the highway with various goods in his car, police say. Eventually he was visited at his home, where he gave police an explanation why he had various goods on hand. He had brought them to Victoria to be repaired, he is reported to have told the police.

HELD IN CITY JAIL

Then, according to police, the stories were checked, and the police returned to the man's apartment. On arriving there the second time they found him loading goods into his car. He was then arrested and subsequently jailed.

He is now being held at the city jail.

Among the goods found in the apartment were a number of rifles and shotguns.

Wilson and Lenfesty had earlier reported a theft of guns from their store over the week-end.

Articles had been reported missing from the summer homes of many prominent Victoria residents. They included, in addition to Mr. Mayhew's, those of Thomas Rayfuse, Russell B. Horton, Gordon Cameron, O. H. Dorman, William S. Cupples, Thomas Watkins, Leo Grogan and Harry Dawson, and William F. Paulin of Mill Bay.

Goods found at the apartment, valued at close to $1,000, included typewriters, vacuum cleaners, radios, fishing tackle, tools, dishes, household furnishings and hardware.

Ilse Koch 'Faking' Insanity, Says Trial Doctor

AUGSBURG, Germany (AP)—A doctor testified today he believes Ilse Koch is faking insanity to escape her trial for concentration camp atrocities.

The "Red Witch of Buchenwald" was carried from her jail cell to Augsburg Hospital in a screaming frenzy Sunday night.

Her jail warden reported she shrieked, "I am guilty, I am a sinner," as she was taken from her cell.

Two doctors told the court today they did not regard Frau Koch as insane.

Fuel Oil Inquiry

WINNIPEG (CP) — Prairie command said today a court of inquiry is expected to complete this week an investigation into misuse of army fuel oil at Fort Churchill, Man.

Lose Lives At Chemainus

HERMAN VAN DYKE

ALBERT CURTIS

Truman Calls New Talks On Emergency

AP, UP DISPATCHES

WASHINGTON — President Truman today called a series of high-level conferences in Washington. They will discuss declaring a state of national emergency. The proclamation may be made later this week.

The government today ordered a cut on the use of natural rubber in new automobile tires.

Indications were piling up that the administration was swinging to the thought that action in the wage-price field must be taken without much further delay.

The National Production Authority announced that in January and February manufacturers must reduce the consumption of natural rubber by 28 per cent from November levels.

Dock Accidents Occur Early Sunday Morning

By ROY THORSEN

Two 22-year-old Victoria men were killed, and others may have died, in two separate but similar accidents Sunday at up-island points when cars plunged off wharves and sank.

Victoria dead are:

Albert Cambridge Curtis, 1600 Oakland Avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril N. Curtis.

Herman Van Dyke Jr., 2555 Penryhn Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Dyke.

Their bodies were recovered from Chemainus harbor after the 1947 model Chevrolet, classed as a "hot rod" and owned by Curtis, crashed through the Government Wharf guard rail into the harbor. This occurred around 12.30 Sunday morning.

This accident was remarkably similar to one several hours later —4.30—at Comox, when a car hurtled off a dock into 35 feet of water.

R.C.M.P. officers said they did not know if anyone was in this car.

Vic Osborne, owner of the Elk Hotel, on Comox Wharf, however, said no one in the community is missing and that no cars owned by a resident is on the missing list.

A diver will comb the area today for possible bodies.

INQUEST TUESDAY

An inquest into the Chemainus deaths will be held Tuesday afternoon at Duncan by Coroner A. E. Green.

Bodies were recovered by diver George J. Knight of Nanaimo six hours after the accident.

Van Dyke was apparently rocketed through the windshield.

His body was found several feet from the car. Curtis' body was found in the car when it was raised by two towing trucks. The headlights were still burning.

It was the second accident of the night for the "souped up" car. Police said the car previously went into a ditch and had to be dragged out.

Police reported earlier stories said there were more than two in the car. It is known that Curtis and Van Dyke were with two girls, the girls, however, were at the Chemainus dance hall at the time of the fatal plunge.

NO SKIDMARKS

Police said there were no skidmarks leading to the crash through bumper railing.

Two lights on a log boom about a half-mile out in the harbor may have given the driver the impression they belonged to oncoming traffic.

Visibility was poor at the time of the accident. It was raining.

Two men are said to have seen a car shoot down the Comox wharf at a high rate of speed and catapult into the ocean.

"We know there's a car there but we don't know if anyone was in it," police quoted Jim Berry and Al Huddlestone as saying.

A ship made soundings Sunday and ascertained a car was in the water. However, a 15-foot high tide, prevented workers from applying grappling hooks.

Bodies of the Victoria men are at the Hirst Funeral Home, Duncan.

SERVED IN ARMY

Curtis served in the army for two years in the postwar period and during the last year or so was a car salesman, lately with Royal Auto Sales.

Victoria-born, he went to Monterey School and Central Junior High School.

Besides his parents, he leaves a sister, Vera, at home, a brother, Jack, a naval veteran living at 1739 Adanac Street, and an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gibbs, Victoria.

Van Dyke, Junior, came to the island from Holland with his parents at the age of two. Educated at Prospect Lake School and Mount View High School, he worked for some time on the William J. Stewart and Berens, hydrographic survey ships, and the cableship Estevan.

The Van Dykes lived at Duncan for a short time before coming to Victoria. Besides his parents, the dead youth leaves three sisters, Mrs. A. Bond, Mission, B.C.; Mrs. D. Lynn, Saulte Ste Marie, and Mrs. R. C. Prince of Victoria.

BUS-RIDING KITTEN TROUBLESOME TO DRIVER, ENTERTAINS PATRONS

The first Oak Bay bus leaving from the Gonzales terminus was a minute or two late this morning but nobody was annoyed at the driver. He couldn't help it.

At Stannard Avenue a pretty little kitten walked on with some passengers and mewingly begged a free ride.

The driver got off the bus and put it on the sidewalk. Before he could return it was on board again. He took it a dozen yards away and ran back to his bus.

The kitten was faster and got aboard first.

The conductor tried it three times before he could race back to his bus ahead of the kitten, close the doors and get on his way.

Moslems Riot In Singapore Kidnap Attempt

Dutch Child Is Centre Of Clash

SINGAPORE (AP)—Thousands of violent fanatic Moslems raged through Singapore tonight in an effort to kidnap 13-year-old Maria Bertha Hertogh, raised as a Moslem but recently returned by court order to her Dutch mother.

(Reuter News Agency reported that troops have been called out to help quell the rioting.)

Hundreds of armed police, lining all roads to the Roman Catholic convent where Maria and her mother are sheltered, so far have prevented the mobs from approaching the building, which the rioters said they would burn down "if it took all night."

The mobs ranged the city, battling police, overturning and burning automobiles, with Dutchmen as their prime target. They heaved bottles, clubs and stones at passing vehicles.

Scores of European women were attaced with bottles on the streets and in automobiles. There were unconfirmed reports some European children had been kidnapped as hostages until Maria Bertha is returned to the Moslem faith, her Malay foster mother and her Malay school teacher husband.

Attlee On Way Back To London Today

(More Details Page 12)

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Attlee today took of from Ottawa for New York on the first leg of his journey back to London.

He will fly to New York in an R.C.A.F. transport plane. There he will go aboard the strato-cruiser airliner which brought him to North America for conferences at Washington and Ottawa.

He is due in London tomorrow morning.

The original plan was for Attlee's party to pick up the strato-cruiser in Montreal, but weather conditions canceled this. It was to large to land here.

Tropical Park Scratches

First race — Gregalach, Chance Voyage, Bettin Bad, Hoops Charf.

Second race—Hasten On, Prickley, Our Slim, I Predict.

Third race—Lindas Lady, Moon Boy, Maimal, Deerslayer.

Fifth race—Lawful, Slymady, Mr. Ace, Larry Dooley.

Seventh race—O. G. Kelly, Maudeaux, Hook Up.

Eighth race—Mop Up, Her Gift.

Track—Clear and fast.

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R.C.M.P. Recover Goods Stolen From Shawnigan Homes

Articles recovered by R.C.M.P. following series of thefts from Shawnigan Lake summer homes, guns taken from Wilson and Lenfesty, and costume articles owned by Victoria Girls' Drill Team, examined by Const. Wilfred G. Lambert, instrumental in recovering property valued at $1,000.

R.C.M.P. Charge Man With Raids On Ten Shawnigan Lake Summer Homes

Thirty-year-old Vernon Taylor, 3293 Douglas Street, is scheduled to appear in R.C.M.P. provincial court to face charges of breaking and entering 10 Shawnigan Lake homes, including that of Hon. R. W. Mayhew, M.P.

Other homes entered belong to prominent city businessmen, including Russell B. Horton, Thomas Rayfuse, Gordon Cameron, O. H. Dorman, William S. Cupples, Leo Grogan, Thomas Watkins, Harry Dawson and William F. Paulin of Mill Bay.

Taylor, partly bald, was arrested in his apartment home, Suite 3, Sunday afternoon.

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VALUED AT $1,000

Taylor's arrest by R.C.M.P. officers culminated investigations into housebreakings at the lake in which close to $1,000 worth of goods were stolen.

City police say he will also be charged in their court for theft of a number of guns from Wilson and Lenfesty's store Saturday night. Costume articles and other things belonging to the Victoria Girls' Drill Team taken from the Duck Block Nov. 30 were found in Taylor's possession.

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Marines' 'Death Trap' Toll May Reach 6,000

From AP and UP

The U.S. Marine Corps today revealed the terrific cost of its desperate and successful fight to break out of a Chinese trap in northeast Korea.

More than 30 per cent of the trapped force were casualties, implying 6,000 to 7,000 casualties in the three infantry regiments making up the division, although the Marine Corps gave no specific figure.

The Marine communique, issued in Washington, said: "All were confident that the move down to Hungnam would be completed in successful and orderly manner with the bulk of supplies and equipment intact.

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Sullivan Trial

OTTAWA (CP)—Mrs. Marion Sullivan today was remanded until Thursday, Dec. 14, for preliminary hearing on a charge of murder in connection with the bludgeoning-to-death of her prominent lawyer husband.

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Mystery Car Leaves Toll Of Deaths In Doubt

Diplomats Scan New Plan To End Korea War

13 Countries Consider Terms

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—Thirteen Asian and Middle East countries met behind closed doors today to consider final terms of a new Korean peace plan. They were expected to submit the plan to the political committee of the United Nations Assembly later in the day.

India's Sir Benegal Rau, leader of the peace efforts, said he still had received no word from the Chinese Communists as to whether they would accept a previous appeal to halt at the 38th Parallel.

Details of the new plan were kept secret, but informed quarters said the resolution would include an appeal for a cease-fire and probably would urge creation of a demilitarized buffer zone along the 38th Parallel, old dividing line between North and South Korea.

The conference was held while the political committee, in a nearby room, continued its debate on a six-power resolution demanding withdrawal of the Chinese Reds from Korea.

A spokesman for the United States said the U.S. would not comment on the 13-nation plan until they saw it in its final form.

He said, however, the U.S. delegation would be inclined to go along with the proposal if it is based solely on the military situation and has no political connotation.

PAKISTAN PROPOSAL

Delegates who took in the secret conference said afterward Pakistan proposed a modification of the Indian plan, calling for a cease-fire and then letting the U.N. negotiate terms of a Korean truce with China and North Korea.

During the recess, an attempt was made to bring the two plans together. One delegate said the Indian plan, with its buffer zone angle, meant 13-nation negotiations with China outside U.N. channels. The Pakistan plan called for keeping the dealings entirely on a U.N. basis.

Truman Faces Mobilization

WASHINGTON (UP) — Congressional and military advisers put heavy pressure on President Truman today to declare a national emergency and put the nation into a just-short-of-war mobilization.

Informed sources emphasized the President is not considering full military mobilization right now.

But they said a declaration of a national emergency might snap the country out of its business-as-usual pace. It also would prepare industry for quick conversion to full war production and revive some presidential war powers that have lapsed.

Chairman Leon Keyserling of the President's council of economic advisers predicted Mr. Truman will have to impose some wage-price controls soon.

Bargaining Rights Of C.S.U. Canceled

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canada Labor Relations Board today struck what may prove to be a fatal blow to the once-powerful Canadian Seamen's Union.

The board ruled the Communist-dominated union, once with a membership of 6,000 in Canada's deep-sea and great lakes fleets, was no longer a trade union within the meaning of the Industrial Relations and Disputes Investigation Act and was not entitled to certification as a bargaining agent.

U.S. INDIAN CREDITED WITH MAJOR URANIUM FIND

GRANTS, N.M. (AP)—What may be one of the United States' biggest uranium deposits has been found by a 59-year-old Navajo Indian.

The Los Angeles Times says today that incomplete geological surveys indicate there may be as much as 10,000,000 tons of rock containing carnotite (which bears uranium) in a belt six to 10 miles wide and extending 80 miles between here and Gallup to the west.

The Indian, Paddy Martinez, made the find on land owned by the Sante Fe Railroad. Railway geologists said there are some exceptionally rich scattered deposits in the area.

NEW SPECIAL FORCE BATTALIONS FORMED

OTTAWA (CP)—Defence Minister Claxton today announced formation of 3rd Battalions of the Royal Canadian Regiment and Royal 22nd Regiment as training battalions within the Army's Special Force.

That means that the force, now training at Fort Lewis, Wash., will have five battalions or virtually two brigades.

Claxton said the men will come from the reinforcement pool for the Special Force and stressed that the new battalions are being "organized purely for training purposes." He said the move will "greatly assist training."

It was considered likely, however, that the new battalions will be kept in existence unless the force goes into action. That would open the way for formation of a small, two-brigade division.

U.K. TROOPS BATTLE SINGAPORE RIOTERS

Soldiers Close In On Moslem, Malayan Mobs Fighting Over Dutch Child, 13

SINGAPORE (AP)—British troops with bayonets moved into the riot-torn streets of Singapore tonight to battle fanatical mobs, stirred to a frenzy by the court fight between a Dutch mother and a Malayan nurse for custody of a white child, Maria Bertha Hertogh.

Hundreds of soldiers in trucks raced through the downtown sectors where the mobs were battling police, attacking European and overturning and burning automobiles.

Just before midnight, Singapore was virtually under state of siege. Sixty-six persons had been sent to hospital, including 30 Britons, an American and a French sailor. The others were Indians, Chinese and Malays.

STORM COURT

About 5,000 Malayans stormed for three hours at the Supreme Court building, where a hearing was under way on an appeal to return the 13-year-old Bertha to her Malay foster mother and her Moslem schoolteacher husband.

Then thousands of fanatical Moslems raged toward the Roman Catholic convent, where the girl and her Dutch mother were reported in hiding.

They threatened to kidnap the child and burn the convent "if it took all night."

After eight hours, the mobs still were throwing stones and bottles, beating up Europeans, especially Dutchmen, and attacking and burning vehicles.

Shots were fired and tear gas bombs hurled as police battled to break up the mobs. Thousands of Moslems flocked to the big Sultan Mosque, where priests told them the court decision giving custody of Bertha to her Dutch mother affronted and violated the Mohammedan religion.

Authorities feared the religious outbreak, at a time when the entire Far East is in a ferment, would gravely endanger security and offer an opportunity for Communist sabotage.

Scores of European women were attacked with bottles on the streets and in automobiles.

LARRY ALLEN

Correspondents Riot Casualties

SINGAPORE (AP)—One Associated Press correspondent was injured and another was missing tonight in riotous Singapore.

Tom Masterson, 38, chief of the Associated Press bureau, suffered a leg fracture and other bodily injuries at the hands of a Moslem mob.

Larry Allen, who had written early accounts of the disorders, was with Masterson at the time of the attack and is missing.

Allen, 42, won the Pulitzer Prize in 1942 for his war reporting with the Royal Navy in the Mediterranean.

2 Killed In Chemainus; Other Car Still In Sea

Two young Victorians are dead and one or more persons may be dead in two separate but similar Sunday accidents up-island, involving cars which plunged off wharves and sank.

Known dead are:

Albert Cambridge Curtis, 22, 1600 Oakland Avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril N. Curtis.

Herman Van Dyke Jr., 22, 2555 Penrhyn Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Dyke.

The two local men were drowned when the 1947 Chevrolet owned by Curtis went the length of the Government Wharf at Chemainus, crashed through the guard rail at the end and plummeted into deep water of the harbor.

This was at 12.30 Sunday morning.

Four hours later at Comox, a remarkably similar accident occurred. Here, a car going along the Comox Wharf was seen to hurtle off the end into 35 feet of water.

Mystery surrounds this car. Word of the accident spread quickly through Comox and nearby Courtenay, yet no one in either community was reported missing and there have been no cars recently stolen there.

WILL USE DIVERS

R.C.M.P. officers at the scene say they do not know if anyone even was in the car. They asked all island police detachments and departments in Victoria to report immediately any persons listed as missing.

In the meantime, arrangements have been made for navy divers from Esquimalt to go to the scene to look for bodies and ascertain the license number of the car.

There was some hope diving operation might be started before sunset tonight.

At Chemainus, the Curtis car, classed as a "hot rod," was raised by two heavy towing trucks Sunday morning. Although in the water many hours, the headlights were still burning.

RECOVERED BODIES

Bodies of the two victims were taken from the water earlier by George J. Knight, diver from Nanaimo. Van Dyke, apparently rocketed through the windshield, was found some distance from the car. The body of his companion was found inside the car.

Bodies of the two were taken to the Hirst Funeral Home at Duncan where Coroner A. E. Green will hold an inquest Tuesday afternoon.

According to police, the Curtis car was involved in an accident earlier in the evening. They said the car previously had gone into the ditch and had to be dragged out.

At that time, the police said, two girls were with the two men. At the time of the fatal plunge, however, these girls were safe at a Chemainus dance hall.

Police at the scene could find no skid marks on the wharf. They believe the driver might have taken the lights on a log boom half a mile off shore to be the lights of another car and might have driven right off the wharf without knowing where he was.

Visibility was poor at the time of the accident. It was raining.

SERVED IN ARMY

Curtis served in the army for two years in the postwar period and during the last year or so was a car salesman, lately with Royal Auto Sales.

HERMAN VAN DYKE

ALBERT CURTIS

MAN, WOMAN BELIEVED IN CAR

A man and a woman were believed to have been in the car which plunged off the wharf at Comox, it was reported at press time this afternoon.

NEW FAN TAN STILL GAMBLING, WISMER SAYS

Attorney-General Gordon Wismer said today the cancellation of charters of three Chinese clubs in Vancouver will stand despite claims by the operators that the version of "fan tan" played on their premises has been upheld by the Court of Appeal as being legal.

"They were playing a gambling game in these clubs which, through some slight changes, they sought to differentiate from the well-known game of fan tan," Mr. Wismer stated.

Mr. Wismer said he agreed with Mayor Thompson and the police commission that if these games were allowed to continue, B.C. could become another Reno.

FINDS HAPPY HAVEN

95-Yr-Old Hannah Stainer Will Be Life Of Old Ladies' Christmas Party

By DAVE STOCK

"How would you like to spend Christmas this year?"

That was the question asked by the Times of various persons for the regular Monday feature "What's Your Opinion?"

The answer given by Mrs. Hannah Stainer was that the best place to spend Christmas was the Old Ladies. Home.

Mrs. Stainer, who is 95 years old and who has been a resident of the home for the past five years, was most emphatic in her response.

"This is the best place in the town for Christmas," Mrs. Stainer declared. "I'm perfectly happy and perfectly contented. And I have been ever since I've been here.

"If I didn't think it was the best place, I wouldn't stay."

Despite her age, Mrs. Stainer is one of the more active residents at the Aged Women's Home—as it is properly called. She takes daily outings, weather permitting, and often takes trips to the public library to pick out books for other residents of the home who aren't so agile.

Born on the Isle of Wight, in the south of England, Mrs. Stainer went to America about 50 years ago. She and her husband resided in California before coming here to live in 1914.

CROSSED OCEAN 13 TIMES

Always fond of traveling, Mrs. Stainer made many trips to and from her homeland before settling down.

"I've crossed the ocean 13 times." she seemed happy to relate.

Regarded as the life of any party at the home, Mrs. Stainer showed her talent to make people smile when the time came to have her photograph taken.

"Oh, you want my photograph, do you?

"Well, you'll make me good looking won't you—even if you have to touch it up."

Mrs. Stainer, during the course of her interview. also revealed her infinite wisdom:

"You say you're from the Times. Well, that's good. I like the Times best of all."

MRS. HANNAH STAINER
. . . active, happy

Other answers to "What's Your Opinion" on Page 15.

ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

SERVICE AND SIGHT

AS AN habitual early riser, I get up long before it is light these mornings and shall do, until the sun decides to rise a bit earlier, too. It so happened that a few days ago a fuse blew out in the house, leaving us in total darkness until it was replaced.

As I groped about sleepily in the pitch dark it flashed across my mind that, for one brief moment, I was experiencing the darkness which is the normal lot, day in and day out, of those who have been bereft of sight. The thought was a frightening one, but it brought in its wake an even greater respect than I already had for our blind citizens and their courage.

CHEERY COURAGE

AS ONE who has seen them at the meetings of the Victoria White Cane Club and has admired, with awe, the products of their nimble fingers, I can attest to the cheery, indomitable courage and resourcefulness of these people in overcoming their terrible handicap. And I can imagine no greater handicap than to be unable to look upon the faces of loved ones, to see this city's gardens and flowers, its beauty that makes life so rewarding to us who live in its midst.

So when next you gaze upon some lovely vista, give a thought to the 160 blind who are registered in this district. And nobody can be registered without a medical certificate showing that they have less than 10 per cent of normal sight—a fact of which few people are aware.

LEAD LONELY LIVES

MANY of our sightless residents are old and their circumstances force them to live in one room. Those who have no relatives lead lonely lives that are made lonelier because they have no place to go. In fact, were it not for their radios and the White Cane Club meetings every Wednesday, life for them would be even harder.

That is why I am 100 per cent behind the Canadian Institute for the Blind in its effort to erect a Service Centre on Blanshard Street. But the support of a big majority of the voters will be necessary to ensure the passing of the plebiscite which is to be put before you at the civic election next Thursday.

WHAT OTHERS HAVE DONE

THAT plebiscite will ask the city's ratepayers if they are willing to grant tax exemption for a period of 40 years on the property that has been set aside on Blanshard Street for this purpose. For those who may fear to establish a precedent, let me outline what has been done in other cities across Canada in the interests of the blind.

These service centres already exist in many of the larger cities and have proved to be of tremendous help to sightless citizens. In Vancouver, the city gave seven acres outright and made it entirely tax free. In Edmonton, 150 feet on Jasper Avenue was given by the civic authorities on a 99-year lease, at the nominal rent of one dollar per year. In Calgary, the city owned no suitable site so donated a parcel of land. This was sold and with the proceeds a suitable site purchased from a private owner.

CHRISTMAS GIFT

GIVEN the essential "go" sign by the taxpayers—and I cannot believe that our reputation for unfailing generosity will fail on this occasion—Victoria would then be on the way to having a centre where the blind could not only enjoy the social amenities with those who share their affliction, but, at the same time, would provide them with the much-needed opportunity to learn occupational work, helping them to feel less dependent on others.

And the passing of Thursday's plebiscite would be in the nature of a Christmas gift from the more fortunate people of this community to those who need something, especially at this season of the year, to compensate them for the loss of one of the greatest gifts ever bestowed upon mankind—that of sight.

MRS. KELSEY TALKS

When To Thresh Wheat Championship Secret

This is the second in a series of four articles on Mrs. Amy Kelsey, twice-named world wheat queen, who now resides at 224 Superior Street.

By AILEEN CAMPBELL

The secret of championship wheat is to know when to thresh according to Amy Kelsey, a woman of many enthusiasms.

She has raised angora rabbits, done beadwork, collected stamps and won a $100 prize once for an essay entitled "One Year to Live." When a doctor told her to get a new hobby, she always obliged, but wheat raising always came first.

Mrs. Kelsey won this trophy for champion wheat displayed at grain and hay show of International Livestock Exposition at Chicago in 1946.

"Wheat has to be sifted to get a certain size. . . . I think that's where I fell down this year."

She took first place in the red spring wheat division with her sample of Reward at this fall's Hay and Grain Show of the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago. The world wheat title, which she won at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto in 1947 and again in 1949, went to a young boy this year.

"Mr. Kelsey would prepare the ground and I would sow the seed usually in late April," she said. "The wheat was cut and left in stocks and covered for fear of rain. And it never failed to threaten rain at that time.

PICKED OUT EACH KERNEL

"When I seived the wheat for size and picked out each kernel. . . . I sat in this window here and picked it over and over."

The wheat for her exhibit she had sent down to Victoria the past two or three years from Erickson. She did the selecting here

"You had to send 15 pounds to Chicago and 18 pounds for the Toronto Fair. The weight per acre counts too. If it goes 65 bushels to the acre, the chance of winning is better. Sixty pounds is average. At Chicago they always seem to want a size nine. This year mine was 8½."

Though she was 37th on the list at the 1933 world grain show in Regina it is one of her proudest boasts.

"That was truly international. People from all the grain-growing countries of the world competed. I was the only woman to have an entry."

From then on, her ribbons which are carefully pinned to a big sheet of cardboard tell the story . . . "you can see how I worked my way up."

FIRST TOP AWARD

She was 23rd in 1935 and in 1946 she won her first top award at Chicago. She got $10 and a ribbon.

"The first time I was crowned wheat queen of the world was in 1947 after the Toronto Royal Winter Fair," Mrs. Kelsey recalls. "I got a bouquet, a ribbon and $20. That was the encouragement I got there".

She is very anxious to clear up what she terms is a misunderstanding abroad that the wheat queen title carries with it, award of $2,000 C.N.R. trophy, with which the winner is usually pictured.

"You don't get any $2,000. You have the privilege of having your name engraved on a trophy.

"When I was interviewed in Toronto then, they all kept asking me what I was going to do with the $2,000. I told them I knew nothing about it. It went all over the world that Mrs. Kelsey was going to get $2,000. All I got was my name engraved on a $2,000 trophy.

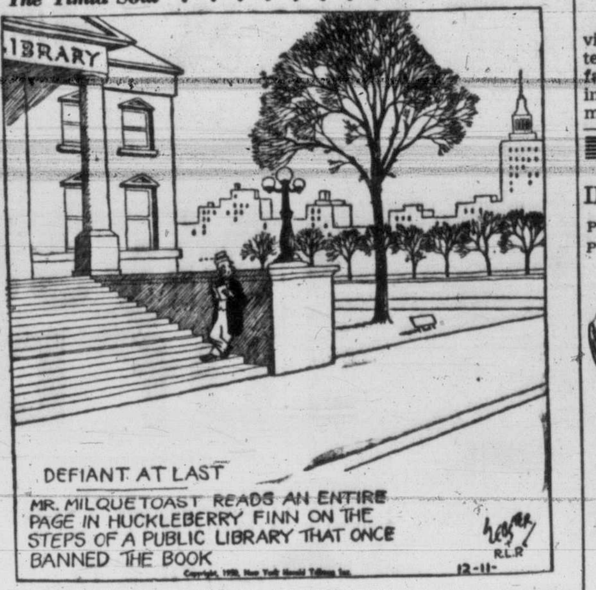
Nearly a year later she said she was sent $100 and a tray in honor of the award.

"You can say Mrs. Kelsey says you don't become rich or famous becoming wheat queen . . . you've got to be a glamor girl.

"What fantastic yarns got abroad about me," she smiled with a shake of her head.

To Be Continued

The Timid Soul : : : : : : : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



Commission Protests

PARKSVILLE (BUP)—Parksville village commission protested a recent Municipal Affairs Department revision ordering five commissioners for each municipality.

Commissioners at Parksville have forwarded a resolution to the department, expressing the opinion a plebiscite should be put before residents of municipalities to determine the number of commissioners.

Urge Groups To Participate In Film Council

All organizations have been invited to take an active part in operation of the Greater Victoria Film Council which encourages distribution of 16 mm films in the community.

At a meeting here Ernest Belton of the National Film Board, reported on other film councils on the island, stating the Alberni Valley Film Council had done an excellent job over the past few months in increasing its showings to various groups.

W. Beddington was elected president of the Victoria Film Council. Other officers are: H. Kerr, vice-president; J. Lambert, treasurer, and Miss C. Firth, depot officer. All enquiries should be directed to Miss Firth at the Public Library.

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Wash Day For Canada's Korean Force

Three members of the 2nd Battalion, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, hang out clothes they washed below deck of United States troopship transporting them to Korea. Two bald heads reflect fad of hair-shedding which has spread through the ranks. From left to right: Ptes. Don Carrick of Toronto, T. D. Baker of Ottawa and V. B. Gallamore of Galt, Ont.

Pats Learn Hula-Hula From Expert

Members of Canada's Princess Pats soaked up some culture when the battalion stopped at Pearl Harbor. Sgt. C. H. Newcombe of Pembroke, N.S., left, and Pte. R. H. Cumming of Winnipeg, with Hawaiian dancer. —(CP Photos)

Canoe River Train Collision Probed

Board Opens Hearing On B.C. Crash Which Killed 21, Including Soldiers

EDMONTON (CP)—Two Canadian National Railways trains involved in a head-on collision at Canoe River, B.C., Nov. 21, were running on "overlapping orders," the Board of Transport Commissioners was told today as an inquiry into the disaster opened here. Twenty-one persons were fatally injured in the wreck.

Roderick Kerr, assistant counsel for the board, outlined the orders in summing up evidence to be presented at the inquiry. He said the eastbound passenger train, No. 2, had orders to meet a troop train at Cedarside, B.C. The troop train had orders to meet No. 2 at Gosnell, B.C.

The two points are about 20 miles apart. Canoe River, where the trains met, is just west of Cedarside.

Mr. Kerr said both train crews were running to orders.

Twenty witnesses are expected to take the stand in the three-day inquiry.

On the board are the chief commissioner, Mr. Justice M. B. Archibald, chairman; Armand Sylvestre, deputy chief commissioner, and F. M. McPherson, commissioner.

The attorneys-general of British Columbia and Alberta are represented.

The dispatcher and the two operators who handled the orders prior to the wreck are being represented by counsel and four legal advisers are appearing for the railway.

Summing up evidence to present to the court, Mr. Kerr said witnesses would be called from surviving members of the train crews, the dispatcher who issued the orders and the two operators who received them.

Evidence on the condition of communications when the orders were telephoned would also be heard, he said.

Damage to the trains and cars and their type and condition would be described. Why the trains were made up as they were and where they were marshaled would also be shown.

Officials would also be heard on the use of radio in controlling train movements, Mr. Kerr stated.

Soldiers Back Move Here For Conscription

Reports that a private member will move to have the issue of conscription brought before the Canadian Parliament are viewed with approval by veterans and army men in Victoria in view of the shortage of men in military units here.

One commanding officer said: "I can get all the officers I want and more, but the shortage of other ranks is terrible."

Units have equipment and other means to train ten times as many men as they have at present.

Officers of the reserve force army units throughout the island are not happy about the state of recruiting.

CRYING FOR MEN

In Victoria and district infantry, artillery, medical, technical and other branches of the services are crying for more men. They are badly under strength.

Commanding officers cannot put their fingers on the reason the younger generation is keeping away from part-time service in uniform.

They believe parents, who should recognize the value of the reserve forces if an emergency arises, should encourage their boys to join the reserve army.

Resolutions calling for "total preparedness" have received warm support from veterans' organizations in Greater Victoria.

Chiang Opposes A-Bomb Use Against China

WASHINGTON (AP) — Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek expressed the view today that the atom bomb should not be used on Communist China.

The Nationalist Chinese leader said he "doubted very much" that dropping the A-bomb on Communist forces "would produce the desired effect."

Chiang's views were contained in an interview copyrighted by "U.S. News and World Report," an independent weekly news magazine published in Washington.

Rhee Against Any Compromise

SEOUL (UP) — President Syngman Rhee said today his government would not accept a compromise with the Chinese Communists even if they halted their drive south at the 38th parallel, dividing line between North and South Korea.

Rhee said he had cabled instructions to the Korean ambassador in Washington to tell the United Nations that "after heavy sacrifices of men and material to check Communist aggression and to unify the country it would be unthinkable to accept any such proposal."

The South Korean president also told a press conference that Lt.-Gen. Walton H. Walker, commander of the U.S. 8th Army, had told him the South Korean capital of Seoul would be defended.

Reds Capture Centurion Tank

TOKYO (Reuter)—A British 52-ton Centurion tank, many of whose details are still on the secret list, has fallen into Communist hands in the Korea retreat, an authoritative source said here. The crew set fire to the machine, diabled during withdrawal from Pyongyang. But a military source said it was "highly doubtful" whether Communist experts had been prevented from garnering much information from the wreck.

Queen Mary Recovers

LONDON (AP) — Queen Mother Mary, who has been suffering from a cold and cough, had her first outing today since Nov. 10. The queen mother, 83, went for a drive in her car.

Ex-Premier Dies

PARIS (AP)—Theodore Steeg, 82, premier of France in 1930, died Sunday.

Fuel Oil Inquiry

WINNIPEG (CP) — Prairie command said today a court of inquiry is expected to complete this week an investigation into misuse of army fuel oil at Fort Churchill, Man.

Normal School Dance

The Provincial Normal School Christmas dance was held in the School Auditorium. Len Acres' orchestra played from 9 to 12. Refreshments, "pop" and doughnuts were served free.

WEATHER

Cloudy with showers, Tuesday. Little change in temperature. Low 45, high tomorrow 50.

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	34	40	
Halifax	50	53	1.86
Montreal	27	33	.15
Toronto	25	31	
Ottawa	24	33	.05
North Bay	21	30	.11
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Winnipeg	15	19	.16
Brandon	6	20	Trace
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Crescent Valley	33	36	.10
Prince Rupert	32	42	.03
Prince George	14	42	Trace
Seattle	46	58	Trace
Portland	42	51	.11
Chicago	7	23	
San Francisco	54	57	
Los Angeles	50	84	
New York	40	46	.32
Spokane	33	38	
Whitehorse	0	29	.03
New Westminster	49	50	.40
Ottawa	24	33	.05

Youth Killed At Target Practice

NEW DENVER, B.C. (CP)—An inquest will be held Thursday into the death of David Lloyd George, 18, victim of a shooting accident. He died in hospital Sunday.

The youth was wounded while at target practice with companions at Zincton, north of this Slocan Valley village. A stray bullet entered his jaw, emerging below the ear.

Atomic War 'Suicidal Escape,' Bunche Warns

(See also Story Page 13)

OSLO (UP)—Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, who mediated the Palestine war and won the 1950 Nobel Peace Prize, warned today that there is "only suicidal escape, not freedom, in the death and destruction of atomic war."

"The well-being and the hopes of the people of the world can never be served until peace—as well as freedom, honor and self-respect—are secure," the former leader of the United Nations' peace mission to Palestine said.

Bunche, 46, son of an American slave and first negro to win the award, issued his warning in a formal address 24 hours after receiving the peace prize.

The youngest man ever to win the prize, received his gold medal, diploma and a cheque for $31,178 Sunday night in a similar ceremony at Stockholm.

Bunche said:

1. Despite the fact that no nations now clamored for living room, war still loomed.

2. Only the United Nations could secure peace.

3. Nationalism was the greatest stumbling-block to peace.

4. The North Korean regime was responsible for the fighting in Korea.

5. The problem of Germany must be solved.

6. All the peoples of the world, including those in Asia and Africa, were entitled to peace, freedom and security.

"Never before has peace been more continuously in jeojardy," Bunche said.

Bunche said that "man's inventive genius" had gone beyond his "willingness to apply reason" and brought the world to the brink of total disaster.

Three Youths Held As Firebugs

HOUSTON, Tex. (AP) — Fire ravaged thousands of acres of southeast Texas timberland and ranges as hundreds of sweating men and women battled countless blazes today.

Three youths were charged as firebugs and planes hunted in vain for rumored arsonists. Damage to homes and buildings was held to a minimum.

Ottawa Host And Guest

Prime Minister Attlee, concluding his visit in Ottawa, was a guest of Viscount Alexander, Governor-General, at an official dinner Sunday evening.

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2 To 1 For Truman In Critic Hume Dispute

WASHINGTON (UP) — The controversy over President Truman's latest letter raged on today.

It started when music critic Paul Hume of the Washington Post belittled daughter Margaret's singing at her concert here last week. Mr. Truman got off a blistering letter threatening to blacken Hume's eye and misplace his nose for the "lousy review."

The President got at least a 2 to 1 edge in the latest skirmishing.

Defending the President were Rep. Adolph J. Sabath (D. Ill.), fiery 84-year-old dean of the House, and Irl Allison, president of the National Guild of Piano Teachers, Austin, Tex.

"The country would be better off," said Sabath, "if we had more fathers as ready as Mr. Truman to stand up for their daughters."

Sabath said he had heard all the great artists of the last 70 years and he was sure Margaret will be a "great artist in a few years."

Allison said Margaret's voice has a "nice quality" and blasted Hume and all "unkind" music critics for attacking "defenceless people who propose to entertain." He said he plans to start a fund to bring lawsuits against newspapers that "damn aspiring artists by printing one man's opinion."

A counter-charge came from Rep. Harold H. Velde (R.-Ill. He said, Mr. Truman's letter was undignified and "reminds me of a small boy standing behind the safety of his home fence and throwing threats at his tormenter."

Ilse Koch 'Faking' Insanity, Says Trial Doctor

AUGSBURG, Germany (AP)—A doctor testified today he believes Ilse Koch is faking insanity to escape her trial for concentration camp atrocities.

The "Red Witch of Buchenwald" was carried from her jail cell to Augsburg Hospital in a screaming frenzy Sunday night.

Her jail warden reported she shrieked, "I am guilty, I am a sinner," as she was taken from her cell.

Two doctors told the court today they did not regard Frau Koch as insane.

Name Comox Man For Rhodes Scholarship

COMOX — James Midwinter, U.B.C. economics student and grandson of the late Lucius Robert Cliffe of Comox, has been named winner of a two-year Rhodes Scholarship, subject to final confirmation by Rhodes trustees in London.

He received his education at Vancouver and Comox, and has traveled considerably through the province.

His mother, Mrs. H. E. Stewart, lives at Lethbridge, Alta.

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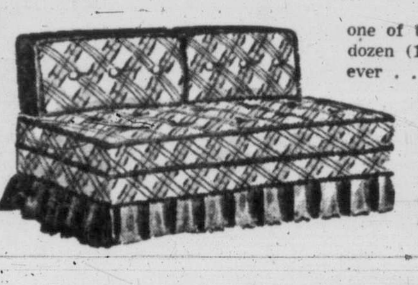

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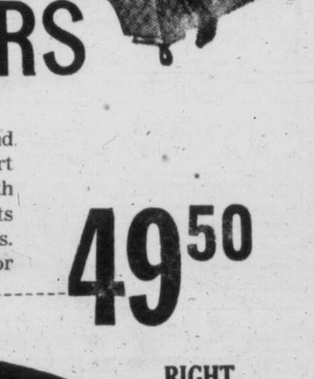

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'Well Content'

NOBODY EXPECTED THAT PRIME Minister Attlee would go into the details of his five-day conference with President Truman in his broadcast to the people of Canada yesterday. As the head of the government at Westminster, he must first of all report in full to his cabinet colleagues, and then to the House of Commons. This, of course, is democratic constitutional procedure.

It was nevertheless gratifying to hear from Mr. Attlee that he was "well content" with his visit to Washington and Ottawa. It gave him the opportunity of noting at first hand the determination of the United States and the Canadian governments to defend those ideals the application of which permits peoples everywhere to develop their own lives in their own way. "We stand for those ideals," the Prime Minister emphatically declared, and while on the subject he paid gracious tribute to the manner in which Canada responded when those ideals were assaulted in 1914 and again in 1939. Mr. Attlee's reference to the Atlantic Treaty was simple and to the point: It menaced nobody; it was forced on the democracies by the aggressive development of Communist imperialism; it was an organism born of the necessity to stop the troublemakers in their tracks.

The British Prime Minister's visit to Washington, apart from the 10-point declaration of policy which it produced, revealed by striking contrast the manner in which democratic procedure differs from that followed in authoritarian or police states. The leaders of two great nations agreed, actually or in principle, on most of the important matters discussed. But they were not afraid to let the world know that they did not see eye to eye in respect, for instance, of the recognition of Communist China. They so declared themselves.

In other words, supposing Premier Stalin had called the leaders of, say, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Communist China to Moscow, will anyone seriously contend that a joint declaration would have contained anything that savored in the least of any conflict of view? Not likely! So if Mr. Attlee is "well content" with the fruits of his exhausting week on this side of the Atlantic, the free peoples, too, may take courage from his heartening statement.

No Room For Doubt

SPORT FISHERMEN'S REACTION TO the proposal to collect annual license fees from residents and non-residents for the privilege of fishing in certain coastal waters of the Island can have left no doubt in the minds of Fisheries Department officials that the opposition is deeply-rooted and widespread. If the suggestion was a "feeler," then the feelings have been made very plain.

The various individuals and organizations interested in the sport see the imposition of a fee for fishing in waters such as Cowichan Bay, Comox Harbor, the Campbell River area and certain other localities, as the thin edge of a wedge opening up the question of a general fee for all salt-water sport fishing. They charge that the proposed $2.50 license would be an imposition on residents, and that the $10 levy on tourists would do much to discourage a trade on which large promotional sums are spent. On the grounds of conservation, they point out that the whole annual catch by sportsmen in Saanich Inlet, for instance, doesn't equal a single gillnetter's harvest.

The points are worthy of serious study by those who contemplate a change in the regulations. So few hunting and fishing pastimes these days are free from governmental imposts that we would be reluctant to see further levies except where necessity is proved.

'With High Morale'

THE TERSE COMMENT OF ASSOcited Press Correspondent Jack MacBeth and the brief statement of Gen. Douglas MacArthur tell a story of determination and heroism on behalf of the 25,000 U.N. force which has fought its way clear of Red Chinese troops from the Changjin Reservoir to the coastal plain leading to Hamhung. MacBeth has catalogued the campaign, bloody and bitter in sub-zero temperatures, as "one of the fightingest retreats in military history." MacArthur has stated that the men have come through their ordeal "in a superior manner" with high morale.

Casualties have been high in this dramatic action, yet, though the movement has been a retreat, it has not been the disaster many feared it would become when the weight of Chinese hordes separated the United Nations fighting men from bases to the rear. Under almost impossible conditions, the formerly trapped force has won through to the coast area. That achievement has earned world-wide respect. It is an accomplishment which should rouse a spirit of sober gratitude among western democracies for the calibre of men who are fighting aggression in Korea.

This Is Part Of Our Tradition

IN THE INTERESTS OF VICTORIA and British Columbia tradition, the request to the City Council for a generous donation to assist in preserving the old Craigflower School seems modest enough. A sum of $6,000 is apparently required to restore this landmark to its original state and to make provision for exhibits in a small museum to be maintained there.

Far too many of the old buildings which might have reminded us of this community's pioneering days have disappeared. With them have gone tangible links with a generation that carved this city out of the wilderness. What we call progress has resulted in the erasing of imposing marks from the pages of our history.

It is true, of course, that the old Craigflower School is beyond Victoria's municipal boundaries. But it is also true that those who settled outside the arbitrary city limits played their part in helping to make the capital what it is today. The request of the sponsors of the movement to keep the school building in existence can be ignored only at the expense of stifling a sentiment this city cannot afford to lose.

British Korean Reinforcements Broaden Basis Of Operations

U.K. Information Service

MORE reinforcements of British troops, including a tank regiment, have arrived in Korea. The total number of British ground troops engaged in the fighting now totals approximately 6,000 to 7,000.

The original contingent sent to the battle-zone consisted of the 1st Battalion, the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders and the 1st Battalion, Middlesex Regiment (about 1,500 men), who arrived in Korea, August 28-29. They were reinforced by additional troops flown in by airlift in September, when units of the Royal Marine Commandos also arrived by air.

FIRST TROOPSHIP

The first troopship of reinforcements sailed from Britain in the "Empire Pride" on October 1, arriving in Korea November 4 with some 800 men of the 1st Battalion, Royal Ulster Rifles. A day later, October 2, the 1st Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment, together with personnel of the Independent Squadron of the Royal Engineers and one unit of the Royal Armored Corps, sailed for Korea in the troopship "Empire Windrush." These troops, whose present whereabouts have not been divulged, number about 1,200 men.

On November 3, the 29th Brigade Headquarters with British gunners and more infantrymen, arrived in Korea in the "Empress of Australia," adding a further 2,000 men to the total of United Kingdom troops serving with the United Nations. Two days later, an undisclosed number of men of the 8th King's Royal Irish Hussars disembarked in Singapore. This was the first British armored regiment sent out to serve in Korea.

Finally, on November 14, an additional 1,500 men of the British 29th Brigade arived at the port of Pusan in the troopship "Empire Fowey." Other reinforcements, including 1,000 men of the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers, plus units of the Royal Artillery and the Royal Armored Corps, are known to have sailed for Korea in the troopship "Empire Hallidale" which left Britain October 11.

In addition, a Royal Air Force squadron of "Sunderland" flying-boats is known to be operating in the Korean zone, while warships of the British Royal Navy have been in action since the outbreak of hostilities. It was divulged recently that Britain's total naval fighting force in Korean waters consisted of one aircraft carrier, four cruisers, one aircraft maintenance ship, seven destroyers and eight frigates.

NAVY OPERATIONS

During the 14 days covering the Inchon landings and subsequent operations up to September 30, ships of the British Commonwealth fleet steamed 56,456 miles, while the carrier-based planes of the 13,190-ton flat-top H.M.S. Triumph made 112 sorties over an area of some 251,000 square miles.

During these operations the 8,000-ton British cruiser H.M.S. Jamaica shot down a Russian-built "Stormovik" airplane—the first enemy plane to be destroyed by gunfire from any of the United Nations' warships.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

THE LIFE of a sports page columnist like Jim Coleman or our own able young Bill Walker (who will soon be a recognized master of his queer craft) is a lovesome thing, God wot. For sheer animal spirits, for magnificent irresponsibility, for the best current fiction and for a jolly, gaudy, hair-raising distortion of life, give me the sports column every time. Here, more than in statesman's speeches, economists' charts or in poetry itself is to be found the pure, palpitating, boyish heart of America. Now, of course, you are not supposed to believe any of it. The facts are accurate enough, you can trust the batting averages and the hockey scores, but the whole thing is conceived and clearly understood by the reader as a brave caricature of life and a welcome relief from it.

Hutchison

THUS at the very beginning the sports columnist announces his cheerful deception by calling himself "we." No sports columnist is every singular. In disregard of biology he is always plural. One reporter may cover a news story, one editor write an editorial, one man may run a nation, but within the sports columnist there are always two men, or a dozen, or a thousand. All are needed to represent his many sides.

The sports columnist does not light his pipe. He says "we lighted our pipe" as if a score of fellows could afford only one pipe. He says "we bought an orchid for our wife," a whole tribe of scribblers apparently married to a single woman, which is polyandry and, like its opposite, bigamy, is illegal under the Criminal Code of Canada. But a little thing like that never worried a hot and urgent young man with a typewriter and a column of newsprint.

AND OBSERVE with what fine frenzy he leaps from the subject of athletics to explore any region of our civilization which strikes his fancy. On the convenient excuse of a football game Mr. Coleman recently explored in this newspaper the subject of a bouncing blonde and announced that she had a waist of 28 inches and a bust of 36. At least I think those were the figures but I am not good at higher mathematics and have never troubled to stop a blonde and conduct these measurements as Mr. Coleman does.

THE LABORIOUS research of these investigators, the skilled use of the tape measure and the adding machine tire me just to think of it. Nothing tires the sports columnist. His tape measure is ready at any street corner whenever a likely subject comes tripping by. He can measure a blonde in a flash where the bewildered editorial writer can hardly measure the national debt, and who cares about it anyway, when a 28-inch waist and a 36-inch bust are in the neighborhood?

IN THE imaginary world of sport a primitive physical laborer like Mr. DiMaggio is more important than the debt or all the statesmen who accumulated it. In the real world Mr. DiMaggio, wielding a bat, is far less important than the nameless logger wielding an axe in our woods, though no columnist will admit it, lest he destroy the fiction on which he makes his living.

In the same fashion the imaginary world of Hollywood counts the love life of Miss Bergman as a larger natural phenomenon than the volcano, Stromboli, which it so much resembles in confusion, fire and futile flow of lava. Though it is obviously true, you will never persuade America that the activities of a movie star are less useful in the scheme of things than the honest work of a good garbage collector (wherein there is also a certain resemblance) because America prefers to live in a dream.

THAT is the historic importance of the sports columnists and the gentry who sell the gossip of Hollywood. Day by day, column by column, scoop by scoop they build up the fictitious life into which America is glad to escape from reality.

Here, surely, is something which historians of the future will find more significant than all our politics—the fact, I mean, that America boasts to the whole world that it has created the most successful civilization, the highest living standard ever known and then scrambles into an illusion to escape the thing it has created and recommended to foreigners.

The original American Dream of our grandfathers somehow has become a nightmare. We pay the highest wages on record to athletes, actors and writers who can create a new, synthetic dream which no one believes but is somehow preferable to the real thing.

THE greatest danger to American civilization is that presently it will begin to believe in the counterfeit. Indeed, if Premier Stalin could observe at first hand the Christmas charade under way in America today, if he could see America boldly facing the prospect of total war by walowing in the biggest Christmas shopping binge ever witnessed upon the earth, if he could watch Christian American celebrating a Christian festival in pagan fashion to appal the Druids and the gods of the old European jungle—if Stalin could get one look at America at this season he might wonder what so many fine young men are dying for in the snow of Korea.

Stalin would be wrong about America but you can hardly blame him for accepting a dream, or a nightmare, which we have ourselves created. In due course, however, the real America will emerge to surprise him. It will probably surprise us, too.

The World We Live In

As Our Readers See It

MAGIC FORMULA

Mr. MacKinnon's letter of Dec. 4 presents a challenge to our representatives of church and state to examine immediately the plan for permanent peace and security which God has provided and set forth in the Bible. It is indeed the magic formula so sorely needed right now when another global war threatens and our bulwarks are crumbling.

As one of riper years who has abundant reason for witnessing to God's faithfulness to fulfill His promises to the last jot and tittle, I enthusiastically endorse the finding that God's plan will provide benefits "beyond the fondest dreams of economists and philosophers," and so I echo Mr. MacKinnon's appeal, "What saith the populace?"

(Mrs.) A. CRESSALL.

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PRIVATE WAR?

Your corespondent, Anti-Communist, uses familiar red-smear tactics when he suggests that I have read too much Communist propaganda.

In my opinion, the ground work for the Korean war was laid when the Yalta Agreement, 1945, nullified the agrement with the Chinese made in the Cairo Declaration, 1943. William C. Bullitt writes of the Yalta Agreement, "No more unnecessary, disgraceful and potentially disastrous document has ever been signed by a President of the U.S."

From the time Japan surrendered and U.S. Lieut. Gen. John R. Hodge moved into South Korea with 72,000 troops until war finally broke out, pages could be filled with provocative statements made by the military oligarchy and warmongers activated by personal or religious motives.

On the first day of the invasion of South Korea at the end of June, Gen. MacArthur dispatched 10 Mustang fighter planes to help the hard-pressed South Koreans. But it was not until July 2, after President Truman had ordered the U.S. air and sea force to give support to the South Koreans, for the Seventh Fleet to protect Formosa, and for the delivery of arms to the French in Indo-China, that the 474th meeting of the United Nations Security Council passed the U.S. draft resolution calling on all member nations "to render every assistance" to the U.N. in carrying out the cease-fire order.

Until this resolution was passed I maintain the Korean war was a private one between the U.S.A. and the Communists.

LINN A. GALE.

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(Ed. Note: It is a war in which no one can be neutral. Canadians, too, must choose sides in the struggle between Democracy and Communism.)

In The Dark Shadow

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP from Washington

THE appropriate commentary on the Truman-Attlee meeting is provided by a set of facts more significant than any decision taken by the President and Prime Minister.

At Nanning, in south China, a "liberation" army of about 200,000 seasoned Chinese troops, with a face-saving sprinkling of partisans of the Indo-Chinese Communist leader, Ho Chi Minh, now stands poised to move. Thirty Indo-Chinese Communist battalions, trained in China and salted with Chinese artillerymen and technicians, have crossed the Indo-China border. And a Russian military mission headed by a Soviet major general has already arrived at Nanning to supervise this new enterprise of the Kremlin's.

Joseph

Thus every element of the pattern of preparation for the Chinese onslaught against Korea is now visible again in this even more important region to the southward. Moreover, as one examines the facts, it becomes clear that the indicated onslaught against Indo-China may occur rather soon.

Indo-China and Korea were originally coupled as the first two targets of Communist expansion in Asia, at the celebrated Peking meeting last year. In April, Ho Chi Minh and Mao Tse-tung agreed upon the present preparations.

A few weeks ago, the Chinese Communist government protested "violations" and "raids" on the Indo-Chinese border in language reminiscent of their Korean protests. And at the Security Council, Chinese Communist representative Wu Hsiu-chuan has actually stated in plain language that the Chinese would "liberate" Indo-China as Korea has been "liberated."

If these facts mean what they appear to mean, there is no real hope that the battered French colonial army of 150,000 men can withstand a Chinese "liberation" effort for very long. If Indo-China is thus swept into the Soviet empire, every informed observer agrees that Asia will go down, nation by nation, like a set of nine pins. And if Asia thus goes down, it is impossible to expect prolonged resistance by the weaker nations in Western Europe.

Such is the possible or even probable future, by which the talks of the President and the Prime Minister must unhappily be judged. Perhaps the most revealing fact about these discussions is that the American policy makers insisted the Chinese aggression in Korea could not be "passively accepted," yet had no positive course of action to propose when Attlee reached Washington.

The main decision, to make an all-out joint effort to rebuild the military power of the West in the shortest possible time, no doubt looks impressive. It may even seen revolutionary to many people when the Congress is confronted with the staggering bill, which will make all the previous, often fluctuating estimates of defence costs look pretty trifling. But the real position was summed up by a member of Prime Minister Attlee's party, who sadly remarked, "We now realize that we must sacrifice everything else to national security; but even so, it is plain we may still be too late."

Stewart

This man referred to the obvious fact, implied by the preparations for an Indo-Chinese onslaught, that the Kremlin has speeded up its time-table in a way that the worst pessimists never anticipated. As has been noted, the loss of Indo-China alone will be enough to start an irrepressible political chain reaction. What is more, if Indo-China is to be attacked this winter, the Red Army itself is very likely to move somewhere in the spring. In short, this nation and the free world now live in the dark, immediate shadow of war, which the President and Prime Minister have found no real means to lighten.

Travel Diary

Another in a Series

By I. NORMAN SMITH

Associate Editor of the Ottawa Journal

ISTANBUL, Turkey.—The difference between the Turkish bid for Western help and that from most other countries is the willingness of the Turks to get things done. They say: "Send us equipment, we'll fight it for you; send us instructors, we will provide the men to do the job; send us capital aid to build our country so it will be a democratic bastion in the Middle East."

Smith

But they stress that they want to do the fighting. "It is our tradition to face the Russians. Our children play at shooting Russians. When a Turk would insult a man he calls him a Muscovite." Westerners who live here are convinced they are genuine in this talk and that they will fight to the finish.

Oddly, there is no great war of nerves here. People don't talk of a war. They simply prepare for it. Communism has little following, and is jailed when it shows its head.

"Does this mean you are afraid that communism might get somewhere here?" I asked.

The answer was quick and rugged. They don't believe in any hankey-pankey about freedom of speech for a Russian. "Put the Communists in jail; if they're outside they'll try to hurt us. Why leave them outside?"

LESS PANIC

I repeat, there seems less public war panic here, less nervousness. But I found in high places here and in Ankara, both Turkish and diplomatic, a widespread belief that war would come, and within a year or two.

People here don't believe Russia can restain herself from following her avowed course of world domination either to its success or destruction. They don't claim to have inside information, for though Russia is just over there the curtain is thick and effective. But they do claim, and with centuries of reason behind them, to know the Russian mind and method.

So the leaders of Turkish opinion feel there may be war and are determined not only to face it but to be ready for it. And the people of Turkey are in accord.

NOT ARROGANCE

It isn't arrogance or truculence. It isn't a Turkish ambition to regain its lost empire. It is just plain toughness against an aggressor. A toughness born long ago in the sense of superiority Turks acquired when they ruled all this part of the world, and revived in the formative years since 1923 in which this nation has picked itself up from the ruins of greatness and moved into a vigorous and practising democracy.

Tomorrow I'll try to convey something of what has happened in Turkey in those 27 years. This piece is just a look at Turkey in foreign affairs. One non-Turk put it this way: "There are only five countries in the world able and willing and ready to put up a real fight against Soviet armed aggression. The U.S., Britain, Canada, Turkey and Australia. And the Aussies are too far away."

It is an arresting thought, particularly for Canadians who, like me, had scarcely known of Turkey's rise from defeat in the first war and neutrality in the second.

A New York preacher rates the human tongue as the world's most dangerous weapon. But you can't keep the darn thing under control.

Ups And Downs

By BRIAN A. TOBIN

"WE HEAR a lot these days," said the Elevator Man, "about relations. I don't mean so much the kind that send you Christmas ties and cards and help to decorate the tree—the family tree, that is. I mean all the other kinds of relations—international relations, public relations, labor relations, diplomatic relations, and so on. It's got to the point where people and organizations are so worried about what other people are going to think of them that they hire experts to paint a bright picture. Never have relationships between human beings been given so much attention. Never, in some ways, have they been so generally bad. Maybe if we spent less effort on telling people how good we are and more on showing them, we'd get better results. Going up!

Tobin

"Everybody," said the Elevator Man, "seems to delight in hearing about unusual family relations that develop now and then. A family in Chicago, for instance, has got so twisted around that a five-year-old boy is going to become his mother's brother. It seems the mother is being divorced, and her parents will adopt the child. A favorite pastime with some folks is trying to work out distant relationships, so they can prove they're the umpteenth cousin of some famous personage. Hard to go wrong if you go back far enough, I guess, if we all started off from two in the Garden of Eden. Lower main!

"Trouble is," said the Elevator Man, "if you start delving into that sort of thing, you can get as mixed up as that fella in the mental home. A visitor asked an inmate what his name was, and was told 'George Washington.' 'But,' says the visitor, 'it seems to me the last time I was here you said you were Abraham Lincoln.' 'Oh,' explained the man with a smile. 'That was by my first wife'."

Crescent Arrives In Halifax To Take Up Atlantic Duties

HALIFAX (CP)—The Canadian destroyer Crescent arrived here Sunday from Esquimalt to take up duties on the Atlantic coast.

For most of the Crescent's 150-man crew the arrival was a homecoming. Commanded by Lt.-Cmdr. G. H. Hayes of Winnipeg, most crew members are Maritimers who served aboard the weather ship St. Stephen until last July.

They sailed the St. Stephen to the west coast for transfer from the navy to the transport department. While on the east coast the Crescent will serve as a training ship and will join with the destroyers Micmac and Huron as part of the active force.

The destroyer Nootka sailed from Halifax for Pearl Harbor en route to Korea recently. Two other destroyers, Haida and Iroquois, are in reserve here.

Textile Pay Up

MONTREAL (BUP) — Four thousand textile workers in six Ontario and New Brunswick mills were assured today of pay raises ranging from 9 to 27 cents an hour in time for Christmas.

LT.-CMDR. C. T. McNAIR

Lt.-Cmdr. McNair Will Join Nootka

Leaving for active service in Korean waters this month is Lt.-Cmdr. C. T. McNair, staff naval information officer for the R.C.N. Pacific Command since 1948. He will be replaced by Lieut. W. L. Patton.

Mr. McNair will leave for San Pedro, Calif., Wednesday, to join H.M.C.S. Nootka which is expected to sail soon for Asiatic waters.

He is well known in Victoria, having resided here for a number of years. He was born and educated in New Westminster and before the war, between 1937 and 1940, served on merchant ships. While serving in the merchant service he became a member in the Royal Canadian Naval Reserve.

Called into active service in 1940, he served with the Canadian Navy until 1945. During this period he was stationed in Victoria, Halifax and at overseas bases.

He was discharged from the service in 1945 but two years later rejoined the navy for public relations work. Before he came to Victoria, he was stationed for a few weeks with naval information in Ottawa.

Many Secure First Aid Medallions

Results of those taking courses in first aid have been released by the Victoria Centre St. John Ambulance Brigade.

Nurses at Royal Jubilee Hospital who were successful are: Elizabeth V. Carter, Daisy Chung, Mary A. Church, Mae I. Conn, Evelyn Davidson, Olga Golik, Barbara J. Guy, Barbara A. Lester, Jessie Lim, Ellen N. Manring, Marjorie R. Martin, Shirley E. Mawdsley, Margaret E. D. Roberts, Ruth V. Rogers, Myrtle C. Sather, Lavina A. Stilwell, Shelah M. Wilton.

Instructors were Dr. T. W. A. Gray and Me. E. G. Marriot, examined Dec. 2, 1950.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, instructor R. M. Barnes, passed: Stanley Bowley, Hugh J. Fowley, Meredith A. Fenner, Charles B. Ludworth, Robert B. Lowe, Ernest J. Mottishaw, Howard N. S. Nelson, James T. Newlands, Richard J. Payne, Victor A. Saggs, Harvey Trousil.

13th Field Ambulance, passed: Dave Dornan, Murray Foster, Edward Enger, Tony J. Wookey, William Austin, Daniel R. Wesenberg, Jack Rowe, L. Newbigging.

Centre class, instructor A. M. Jarvie. Passed: May Campbell, Helen Elder, Annie Forbes, Winifred A. Faulkes, Diana M. Gould, Kate Jones, Grace Morison, Elsie Mowat, Mary Parker, Vada Parkes, Agnes Taafe, Nellie L. Umphrey, May Walker, Anna Wong, Doreen M. Veness, William E. Bickford, Frank G. Bridges, Paul Bumgardner, Ralph E. Dent, George E. Grexton, Ethel Kitts, Hans A. Jacobson, Dorian T. John, Robert Knowles, John Jones, John McGee, Robert Mowbray, George Matser, John Plumb.

B.C. Forest Products, instructor A. M. Jarvie. Passed: Frank G. Boehm, William G. Beale, William Butts, Robert F. Grieve, James J. Griffin, Frank B. Hilton, Peter Laming, James M. Maloney, James G. McNaught, John M. Mooney, Harmon W. Peters, Noel Rees, William Rutich, Joginder Singh, John Tateham, John E. Trautman, Thomas Waddington, Garfield J. Wells, Charles B. Williamson.

Cadets, instructor Mrs. E. Humble. Passed: Ann E. Copeman, Margaret E. Fowler, Sheila G. Kingham, Barbara Lifton, and Lilian Lifton.

U.S. Hopes Superior Arms To Win World War III

Korean Battle With Huge Enemy Ground Forces What Planners Hope To Avoid

By ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON (AP)—If a Third World War should come, U.S. strategists hope to win it by better weapons and better tactics. They can hardly hope to match the boundless manpower of the Communist world.

The present, localized conflict in Korea is an example of the kind of battling the U.S. military planners had hoped to avoid—a struggle in which ground forces of the United States and her allies face Red hordes which outnumber them almost five to one.

Some think that the atomic bomb alone could wipe out the dangerous difference in manpower strength in Korea. But there is hesitation about using it.

There is deep reluctance to use a weapon which would kill so many innocent men, women and children.

Also, the countries of West Europe worry lest use of the bomb in Korea might be the giant spark that would set off atomic war in Europe, with Russian A-bombs blasting the cities of the western democracies.

Canadian External Affairs Minister Pearson with the U.S. wartime attacks on Hiroshima and Nagasaki in mind, has warned that "certainly its use for a second time against an Asian people would dangerously weaken the links that remain between the western world and the peoples of the east."

It is known however intensive work has been carried on in the radiological and bacteriological weapon fields by U.S.

Polio Rehabilitation Described To Club

A logger, stricken with polio, was trained as a shoemaker for $3,500. Without a livelihood it would have cost more than $17,000 to support him and his wife during his lifetime, Dr. Hallman told members of the Victoria Kinsmen Club at the Pacific Club.

Dr. Hallman, who is chairman of B.C. Division Canadian Foundation for Polio, told of the case in the course of an address in which he said rehabilitation of polio victims was economically sound.

CHRISTMAS PLANTS

Some Purchased Now May Bloom For Weeks

By HILDA BEASTALL

The growers at the City Market, and the various florists throughout the district, are starting to feature their beautiful Christmas pot-plants.

When buying either foliage or flowering plants it is worth while giving a little consideration to a few points if you would give the greatest satisfaction with your gift.

Hilda

If, for instance, you are choosing a cyclamen a week or so before Christmas, pick one which has only a few blooms fully out, but many buds showing color. The plant will then have plenty of flowers at the time of giving, and will continue to bloom afterwards.

However, if the plant is for a sick person, choose one which is almost in full bloom since it is the immediate effect when received which counts.

When buying any of the ferns, whether it be a Boston, Whitmanni, or the well-beloved Maidenhair, look for new growth starting at the centre of the plant. Should any of the older fronds become damaged in handling, or brown off from change of environment, you are assured of new growth to replace them. A thrifty ivy will have the tiny new leaves showing along the main stem.

The Wandering Jew, referring to Tradescantia fluminensis, makes its new growth from the roots and will branch freely if you pinch the long ends.

The Christmas Cactus, Zygocactus truncatus, is fairly slow in opening its buds but maintains them in good condition for many days. A plant purchased now, with good color in its buds, will have some blossoms open for Christmas, and maintain a good display for several weeks.

There are many varieties of cacti which are not in flower at this season, but make interesting Christmas gifts. The important point with these is to determine their correct botanical name in order that the recipient can find the culture best suited to ensure flowering.

Nanaimo Extension

NANAIMO (BUP) — The answer to possible extension of Nanaimo city limits may be known tonight. Mayor Earle C. Westwood has indicated he will give a full report to the ratepayers on extension of the city to include Brechin and Harewood districts.

RUGBY UNION

LONDON (Reuter) — Results of Rugby Union games today in the United Kingdom:

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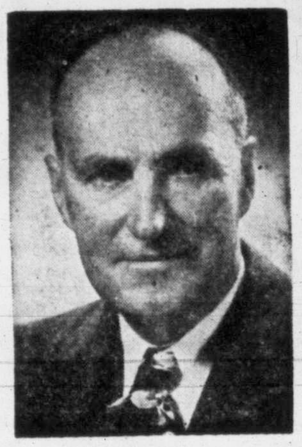

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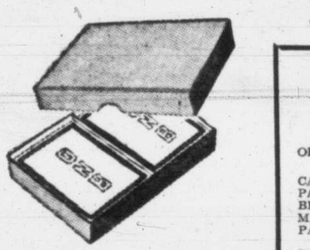

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DOG CLIMBS TREE; RESCUED

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP)—Henry Brennan's dog has found out that what goes up may need help getting down.

Goliath was found Saturday stranded on a tree limb 35 feet above the ground. It took firemen 40 minutes to get him down.

Brennan said Goliath has been pretty good at treeing squirrels. This one apparently got away.

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B.C. Finance Minister Raises Doubts On Ottawa Income Tax Proposal

By LLOYD BAKER

Ottawa is going to hear a lot more from British Columbia before a new agreement is signed on rental to the federal government of the personal income tax, the corporation tax and succession duties.

The offer dangled before the province at last week's conference in the national capital of an increase in the minimum rental payment from $18,000,000 to $30,000,000 doesn't mean much.

It is estimated B.C. will receive $28,100,000 rental under the existing agreement for the fiscal year 1950-51.

And under terms of the agreement, which expires in March, 1952, there is no doubt the province would get this larger amount anyway.

The minimum payment is subject to adjustment upwards for increases in population and in gross national product per capita averaged over the last three years.

(The minimum is the sum of statutory subsidies payable under the terms of union, plus $12.75 per capita on the 1942 population, plus 50 per cent of the provincial tax receipts from income and corporation taxes for the year ended March 31, 1941.)

OWN IDEAS

In expressing his disappointment in the new offer, Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb said on his week-end return from the Ottawa conference, alternative proposals will be made by the province.

He pointed to the tax potentials in B.C. and made it clear this will be the basis of the counter offers to be made.

It can be argued that if B.C. had retained the tax fields now rented to the national government it would have collected over $41,000,000 in 1949-50. Instead it received $24,500,000 rental.

B.C. likely will agree in its further "talks" with Ottawa, that the wealthier provinces should help their poorer sisters.

It would be pointed out, though, that unless the "have" provinces are given a larger share of the tax payments their people are paying, they will not be able to develop further to give added aid to the "have not" provinces.

HIDDEN TAX

The proposal made at the conference by the federal government that a constitutional amendment be made to allow use by the provinces of an indirect sales tax to increase revenue interested Mr. Anscomb keenly. As "father" of B.C.'s direct three per cent retail sales tax, he could see many advantages to the proposal.

The tax wouldn't be seen. It would be levied the same as the federal government's eight per cent sales tax—at the source. It would mean no more special bookkeeping by retailers, and it wouldn't be staring the buying public in the eye constantly.

Mr. Anscomb wouldn't approve use of such a tax to help finance a wider old-age pension scheme proposed.

"That's no my conception of a contributory scheme although some think the pension plan should be on a taxation basis," he said.

The question of old age pensions—for persons 65 to 70 with the means test, and for all over 70 without the means test—has been referred to a continuing committee of the conference.

B.C. will have representation on this committee.

The committee will ascertain the ability of the provinces to pay their share in the extended old-age pension plan.

NOT FOR FIVE

Mr. Anscomb is definite in his views against signing a five-year agreement with the federal government on the tax rental.

He says the national government states it cannot offer much more than it is paying now for rent of the tax fields because it must increase its expenditures for defence in view of world conditions.

"I don't dispute this a bit," says the minister.

But it is quite possible the crisis will be over long before five years have passed, and if this is the case, why shouldn't the provinces be given their fair shares when Ottawa is able to pay them.

"No, let the agreement be for two years, or even one. Let it be renewed from year to year until defence expenditures can be lessened, and then draw up a new agreement giving the provinces more."

Delegates Detwiller, hospital insurance chief, and Anscomb

Sell Hockey Tickets For Club Charity

In aid of the club charity program, Victoria Lions are handling the sale of a block of seats for the Tuesday hockey game between Victoria Cougars and Vancouver Canucks.

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Watch out for folk of craft and guile
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—Peter Rabbit.

Of all the green forest and green meadow folk none is more crafty than Reddy Fox. To be crafty is to be smart in sly ways, to plan a head what to do to outsmart others. Reddy is one of that kind. He has to be. He must outguess and outsmart others in order to live; to get enough to eat and to save that lovely red coat of his from trappers and hunters with dreadful guns. A fox who is not crafty never lives long. Reddy knows that.

For all his craft Reddy had never been able to catch Peter Rabbit. He had almost caught him many times, but almost is never enough; it never caught a dinner for a hungry fox. Almost is not quite and not quite is no better than complete failure.

But Reddy never gives up trying. Always he is watching for opportunity and he never fails to try to make the most of it. He was trying to do this now. He had found out that Peter was in a small bramble-tangle in the old pasture when he should have been at home in the dear old brier-patch with Mrs. Peter. A beagle, which is a kind of small hound with short legs who loves to hunt rabbits, was barking as he followed Peter's scent. Reddy wasn't afraid of that dog. He couldn't run fast enough to catch Reddy and Reddy knew it. So Reddy wasn't afraid. He just sat down where he could watch the dog and the bramble-tangle in which Peter was hiding.

When he saw the dog actually start into the bramble-tangle he knew that Peter would surely be driven out. Reddy knew every place in the old pasture where a rabbit might be reasonably safe. One of the best of these was a pile of brush, and he guessed that was the one Peter would run for if driven out of that little bramble-tangle. Reddy hurried to hide beside the path Peter would take to reach that pile of brush.

Then just what crafty Reddy hoped would happen did happen. That dog kept right on into the bramble-tangle despite the thorns and brambles and drove Peter out. Presently Reddy saw Peter coming lipperty, lipperty, lip. Reddy grinned. "I'll get him this time. He is running right into my mouth," thought he.

But before he did this Peter made a complete turnabout and ran straight back lipperty, lipperty, lip, faster than ever. He had caught a glimse of something red and instantly guessed it was Reddy's red coat, and that Reddy was lying in wait for him.

Reddy wasted no time. He knew that when Peter met that dog he would dodge and head for another place of safety, and he guessed what place it would be.

"The old brier-patch; that's where he'll head for now," thought Reddy, and started for it himself.

It was a good guess. Racing back the way he had come Peter met the dog. Of course. It couldn't have been otherwise. Of course he had known he would meet the dog, but the dog hadn't known he would meet Peter. Before he could recover from his surprise Peter dodged and did exactly what Reddy had guessed he would do, headed straight for the dear old brier-patch. He didn't want to, but he had to. He knew that dog would follow him there, but he was sure he could get there first. He could run faster than that dog could.

"It is lucky I saw Reddy Fox in time," thought he, and thought no more about him. It didn't enter his head that Reddy would try to catch him, not with that dog behind him. That was Peter's mistake. But he didn't know it until he was out of the old pasture, out in the open on the green meadows. Then he saw Reddy just coming under the fence at the far corner of the old pasture where the pile of brush was. And was Reddy running as he headed across to try to head Peter off! Peter had been running fast before, but you should have seen him run now.

"He is running right into my mouth," thought he.

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Alderman Mulliner has served three terms on the City Council and is at present Chairman of the Fire Wardens and City Arena Committees.

The alderman is a member of the Public Works and Street Lighting Committees and the City representative on the Victoria Nursing Home and Greater Victoria Water Boards. He is also president of the Victoria Automobile Club.

Contractors Start Figuring On $400,000 Reconstruction Esquimalt High School

Stage was set today for commencement of work on the new Esquimalt high school.

Contractors are figuring on the reconstruction of and additions to the school, which, under terms of the by-law passed by the ratepayers is estimated to cost $400,000.

Architect P. Leonard James stated today that plans and specifications will be ready for the contractors by noon Monday and stressed that tenders would close with the secretary-treasurer of Greater Victoria School District No. 61 on Jan. 15.

This means that the Esquimalt high school contract will be the first of a number of important school projects contemplated in the new year.

Architect James also has plans about ready for the construction of a $600,000 junior high school in Oak Bay.

It is expected that bids on this project will be invited in the immediate future. The building will be erected on the Cranmore Road school site.

Another outstanding educational building scheduled to go ahead in the new year is the $250,000 reinforced concrete library for Victoria College. In addition to housing the college library, this building will incorporate a number of large classrooms, as well as administrative and other offices.

The plans have been prepared by Birley, Wade and Stockdill, and is understood that tenders will be called within the next few days.

The same architects are preparing plans for the Cadboro Bay elementary school, which will cost over $60,000.

Architect Hubert Savage has plans well advanced for the $60,000 elementary school to be erected at Strawberry Vale.

Saanich is also in line with a $340,000 school program.

Very shortly a $250,000 senior-junior high school and a $90,000 elementary school will be built on a site adjacent to Royal Oak Municipal Hall.

Modern Pioneers

HIGH RIVER, Alta. (CP) In a bold concession to the fact their numbers are dwindling, the High River Pioneers' and Old-timers' Association voted to open membership to sons and daughters of the pioneers. Previously qualifications were settlement before 1901.

LOCUSTS DARKEN SKIES OVER AFRICA, S.W. ASIA

CAIRO (AP)—The dread locust plague is darkening the skies over vast areas of Africa and southwest Asia, threatening millions of impoverished people with famine.

The battle against the voracious swarms that have blighted these lands since Biblical times already has begun. Local governments and British and French colonial governments today are appropriating millions of dollars to strike at the rapidly-breeding insects before they can spread to rich crops on which most of these countries depend.

They have been seen swarming toward the vital food, cotton and other cash crops of Egypt, the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Libya, Ethiopia, Eritrea, Somaliland, Kenya, Tanganyika, French Equatorial Africa, Algeria, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Lebanon, Iran, Pakistan and India.

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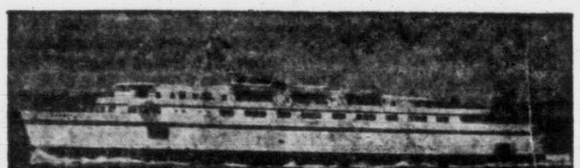

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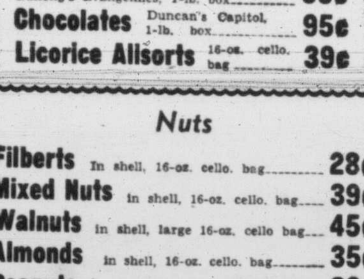

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Sports

VIEWS OF SPORT

By RED SMITH

NEW YORK—The word out of St. Peterburg is that George Weiss, the d'Artagnan of the Yankees, and Jimmy Dykes, the Athletics' improvisation of Scaramouche, have been fencing over a player deal at baseball's winter kaffee-klatch down there in Florida. The report conjures up an enchanting vision—these two accomplished swordsmen, both tall, lithe, supple and darkly handsome, making with the thrust and parry and riposte while the clash of steel rings through the lobby of the Vinoy Park Hotel.

Smith

They are fencing the story goes, over a deal whereby Ferris Fain, the Philadelphia first baseman, would become the property of the Yankees in exchange for as many players as Dykes could get and as few as Weiss could give. There is nothing surprising about this, for the Yankees are a-wearying for a first baseman and the Athletics do not disguise their willingness to use Fain in a swap.

Encountered in Buffalo recently, Mr. Dykes made it clear that the A's feel they can afford to use Fain as trade bait because they have Lou Limmer, the home run leader of the American Association, coming up from St. Paul in the spring. There have been conflicting reports on young Mr. Limmer but apparently the Athletics have heard only the good ones, for they take it for granted that he can walk in an hold a major league job. As perhaps he can.

Bargaining Position Poor

Dykes has said that he would yield up, disgorge and deliver Fain in exchange for Russ Bauer and Tommy Byrne, with maybe Al Brideweiser, the bright young infielder of the New York farm system, tossed in.

That, of course, is strictly the old mayonnaise; Mr. Dykes will take less, and cheerfully. His team needs shoring up in so many places that Jimmy could improve the club by stabbing blindly with a hatpin at the Yankee reserve list.

On the other hand, first base is the worn and shiny seat of the well-dressed Yankees' britches. (Perhaps the other hand shouldn't be included in that metaphor.) John Mize is a year older. Tommy Henrich refuses to kid anybody about the condition of his knee; he doesn't know, doesn't hazard a guess, about his chances of playing at all. Joe Collins has not hit the American League pitchers. The noble experiment that put Joe DiMaggio briefly on first base last summer has ended. But the mere fact that it was tried reflects Casey Stengel's awareness of a problem.

No question that Fain would cut a comely figure in Yankee flannels, in Mr. Stengel's eyes, at least. He is an agile fielder and, in his four seasons in the American League, has batted respectably.

Something Else Again

This large offspring of a former jockey—Pop rode a horse named Duval to second place in the Kentucky Derby of 1912—is a high-spirited gentleman whose hobby is climbing aboard people instead of horses. He never led the American League in hitting home runs, but in his first couple of years in the lodge he probably topped it in hitting noses.

Now in his 28th year, Fain has mellowed to some extent and no longer swings on people from force of habit. But he is not so pacific that he will not rise to a challenge, even when the provocation is furnished by so revered an agent as Connie Mack.

Fain's favorite play is to crowd the bunter in a situation where the sacrifice is indicated, hoping to field the ball as it comes off the bat and fire to second or third for a forceout. This was the first of his qualities that caught Connie's eye when he joined the Athletics, and the old gent was delighted—until he saw him throw. What Ferris makes up in enthusiasm, he lacks in accuracy.

According to Mr. Dykes, Fain must have tried the old Hal Chase play a half-dozen times last summer, charging across in front of the plate to field the bunt and throw to third when the opposition was trying to advance a runner from second base.

"The best throw he made," Jimmy reported, "hit a customer in the sixth row."

Think Of The Indigestion

At length there came a day when the Detroit Tigers, trailing Philadelphia by one run, reached a bunt situation with Charley Keller on second base. Charley isn't as fast as he used to be. Fain plunged in, grabbed the bunt, shot a glance at Keller and decided he could make the play. His throw eluded Pete Suder and Keller scored the tying run standing up.

"Dammittohell, Ferris," Connie snapped when the Athletics came in to the bench. "I don't want you ever to try that play again!"

Most of the patriarch's employees would have said, "Yes, sir, Mr. Mack," and retired. A rebellious one might have ignored the rebuke in silence, got a swig out of the water cooler, and sat down to sulk. Not so the spirited Mr. Fain.

"What the hell did you want me to do with the ball?" he hollered. "Eat it?"

"Well by golly," Connie yelled. "It'd be a whole lot safer there!"

LAST-SECOND BASKET

Viduals Drop Thriller To Alberni Athletics

Alberni Athletics and Victoria Individuals are right back where the Vancouver Island senior A basketball playoffs left off last spring.

Making their first start away from home this season, the Individuals dropped a heart-breaking thriller to the Athletics at the up-island centre Saturday night, 53 to 50.

Victoria defeated Alberni here two weeks ago, 35 to 34.

Hero of the contest for Alberni was Harry Kermode, who let go a howitzer from centre court just as the final bell sounded. The ball swished through the hemp to break a 50-to-50 tie and Porky Andrews, who was fouled on the play, dunked the resulting free shot for the anti-climactic point.

Just previous to Kermode's game-winning basket, Viduals lost a great chance to score their second win over the Athletics when Bob Boyes and Vince Clarkson missed free shots with less than eight seconds to play.

Alberni went to the front early and by half time had forged into a 28-to-19 lead.

CLARK NETS 26

John Clark led Viduals on the comeback trail and within eight minutes the Victorians had overtaken Alberni at 33 to 32. It was still the Viduals on top, 50 to 46, with two minutes remaining, but Kermode and Gordie Sykes hit the bucket to tie the score and set the stage for the thrilling finish.

The game was delayed somewhat by lighting failure in the Alberni Hall and it took the two clubs some two and one-half hours to complete the contest.

High man of the evening was Clark with 26 points. Sykes led Alberni with 14.

Teams follow:

Individuals—Clark 26, Wright 2, Curtis 6, Boyes 3, Clarkson 5, Matthews 8, Tooby, Castner, Hendry. Total: 50.

Alberni—Buchanan 8, Forrest 1, Andrews 7, Sykes 14, Lynn 8, Coulthard 3, Littleford 4, Kermode 8, Maulstad. Total: 53.

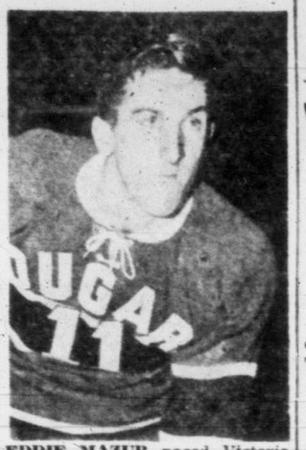
NEW HAVEN TEAM DISBANDS

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (CP)—New Haven Eagles of the American Hockey League, disbanding because of an inability to win games and draw crowds, skated through their last contest tonight in characteristic style, losing to Indianapolis Capitols 6 to 5.

A crowd estimated at 1,200 to 1,300, fairly tremendous for the Eagles, sat in on the obsequies. It was the Eagles' 23rd defeat in 28 games.

IN THE NEWS

DENNY McGEE, inside right of Victoria United, scored two goals as United defeated New Westminster, 4 to 1, in Pacific Coast Soccer League match here Saturday.



EDDIE MAZUR paced Victoria Cougars to 4 to 1 P.C.H.L. triumph over New Westminster Royals at Royal City Saturday. Game marked Cougars' fourth win over league champions this year.

TOD SLOAN, leading goalgetter of the National Hockey League, scored three markers as Maple Leafs defeated Boston Bruins, 8 to 1, Saturday night. Sloan now has 16 goals. His 26 points is third in scoring race, three points behind Max Bentley.

Guy Fletcher Goes To San Francisco

SEATTLE (AP) — Guy Fletcher, the man who didn't smile even before a line drive broke his jaw in the middle of the 1950 baseball season, was traded Saturday by Seattle to San Francisco Seals.

In return, Seattle received pitcher Steve Nagy and infielder Reno Theso. Nagy was bothered by a sore arm last season and completed only one of the 13 games in which he appeared. Theso, who hit .313 with Yakima in the Western International League, will be converted to a catcher.

Fletcher, a 23-game winner in 1949, was slow in getting started after holding out last spring and won only 11 against 12 defeats.

Penalty Kick Wins For Bays In Rugged Game With Scots

In the first contest of a two-game, total-point series, J.B.A.A. won a penalty-kick victory over Canadian Scottish in English rugby at Macdonald Park Saturday afternoon.

Played on a wet field in drizzling rain, the game attracted a handful of spectators who were treated to a creditable performance which was nip-and-tuck to the final five minutes.

Scottish started strong and were rewarded early in the first half when speedy Lorne Prevost went over for the first try of the game. Throughout the rest of the half the Army threatened to repeat but were held by the Bays.

BAYS GET LEAD

Coming in after the rest period J.B.A.A. reversed the advantages and outplayed their rivals from the whistle. Ian Turner, sounding the battle cry of the Wallabies, sparked drive after drive for the Bay men and went over near the 10-minute mark to square the score. A few minutes later he drove in again from a five-yard scrum to put the Bays ahead 6 to 3.

The aggressiveness of the Bays backfired shortly after when Art Hicks got away for a brilliant run and Harry Mark touched down for the Scottish second try.

With only five minutes left, Bays were awarded a penalty kick on a Scottish offside from a five-yard scrum. Ian Turner made the kick and thus earned credit for all of the Bays' eight points.

ATTEMPT MADE TO BAR JOE LOUIS FROM RING

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—John (Ox) Da Grosa, Pennsylvania athletic commissioner, is seeking to bar Joe Louis from any more fights, "in the best interests of boxing" and of the ex-champion himself.

Da Grosa disclosed last night that he has started a move to keep Louis out of the ring in Pennsylvania and will ask the National Boxing Association to do likewise.

He asserted the aging Louis's scheduled fight with Freddie Beshore in Detroit Jan. 3 should be called for the "health, welfare and future" of the one-time Brown Bomber.

Moreover, he said, permanent retirement of Louis would also be "in the best interests of boxing."

From his New Jersey home N.B.A. commissioner Abe Green commented: "I would not want to be a party to barring Joe Louis from boxing. He has meant too much to the sport and has made a magnificent contribution both in and out of the ring. The furthest I would want to go would be perhaps to call on Joe personally to keep his brilliant record and reputation as a great fighter untarnished.

Wings Stay Clean; End Toronto Streak

Detroit Red Wings may yet set the pattern of strategy for other National Hockey League clubs to employ against Toronto's flashy, league-leading Maple Leafs.

Apart from proving that the Leafs are beatable, the Wings last night learned that the only strategy that pays off against them is to stick to hockey and forget the rough stuff.

The Stanley Cup champions, playing before the largest home crowd of the season—14,904—started out in usual slam-bang fashion, only to find themselves trailing, 2 to 0, at the end of the first period.

Remembering how they dropped an American Thanksgiving Day game in Detroit, marked by 22 penalties, the Wings gave up the rough stuff the rest of the way, and won, 3 to 2.

They got no penalties in the middle session while pumping three goals past Turk Broda in the Toronto net, and held on grimly through a hectic third period assault by the Leafs.

The loss snapped Leafs latest unbeaten streak at nine games. It also evened the inter-club series at two victories each, and marked the Wings as the only team that has been able to win twice from the Leafs in this campaign.

HABS IN RUT

In other week-end games, Boston Bruins recovered from an 8 to 1 trampling by the Leafs at Toronto Saturday to send Montreal Canadiens down to their fourth straight defeat, 5 to 2; Detroit shut out New York Rangers, 5 to 0, Saturday, while Chicago were blanking Montreal, 5 to 0. The Rangers and Chicago tied, 3 to 3.

Summaries follow:

Detroit 3, Toronto 2

First period—1, Toronto, Lewicki (Klukay) 13.40; 2, Toronto, Gardner (Watson, MacKell) 18.58. Penalties: Watson (major), Lindsay (major), Reise, Sloan, Pavelich, Thomson.

Second period—3, Detroit, Howe (Kelly, Lindsay) 3.06; 4, Detroit, G. Stewart (Prystal, Reise) 5.07; 5, Detroit, Prystal, 10.09. Penalties: Barilko.

Third period—Scoring: none. Penalty: Reise.

Chicago 3, New York 3

First period — 1, New York, Leswick (Kullman, LaPrade) .18. Penalties: Guidolin, Egan.

Second period—2, Chicago, R. Conacher (J. Conacher, Guidolin) 2.52; 3, New York, Kullman (Lund) 7.30; 4, Chicago, Guidolin (R. Conacher) 14.06; 5, New York, Toppazzini (Sinclair) 17.06. Penalties: Leswick, Guidolin.

Third period—6, Chicago, R. Conacher (Guidolin) 10.43. Penalties: Stanley, Mosienko.

BOSTON 5, MONTREAL 2

First Period—1, Boston, Lynn (Ronty, Fisher), 8.53. Penalties: Ezinicki (2), McPherson, Reay, Schmidt, W. Quackenbush, Lach, Kaiser.

Second Period—2, Montreal, Lach (Harvery, Dussault), 4.18; 3, Boston, Peirson (Kryzanowski, Ronty), 9.43; 4, Boston, Fisher (Horeck), 15.55; 5, Boston, Ezinicki (Schmidt, Dumart), 19.03. Penalties: McPherson, Lynn, Harvey, Horeck.

Third Period—6, Boston, Horeck (Lynn), 5.02; 7, Montreal, Curry (Mackay), 12.10. Penalties: McPherson (major), Lowe (major), Johnson, Ferguson.

TORONTO 8, BOSTON 1

First period—1, Toronto, Sloan (Smith, Kennedy), 12:24; 2, Toronto, Lewicki (McCormick, Klukay), 14:40. Penalty—Thomson.

Second period—3, Toronto, Bolton (McCormick, Klukay), 4:57; 4, Toronto, Mackell (Watson, Thomson), 5:30. Penalties—Lowe, Barilko, Ronty (misconduct), Sloan.

Third period—5, Toronto, Sloan (Bolton) .41; 6, Boston, Lynn 4:24; 7, Toronto, Smith (Kennedy, Thomson), 7:50; 8, Toronto, Kennedy (Bolton), 8:34; 9, Toronto, Smith (Kennedy, Sloan), 14:00. Penalties—Barilko (2), Thomson, Juzda, Henderson, Ezinicki.

DETROIT 5, NEW YORK 0

First period—1, Detroit, Prystal (Staslak, Reise), 17:22. Penalties—Reise, Stanley.

Second period—2, Detroit, G. Stewart (Goldham), 5:16. Penalties—Kyle (2), Pavelich.

Third period—3, Detroit, Abel (Lindsay), 2:15; 4, Detroit, Peters (Stewart, McFadden) 12:29; 5, Detroit, Howe (Abel), 18:36.

CHICAGO 5, MONTREAL 0

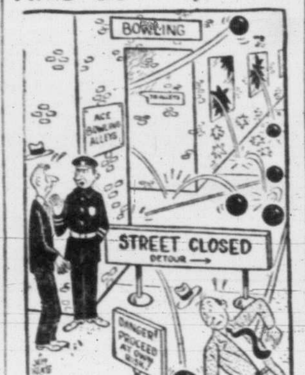
First period—1, Chicago, J. Conacher (R. Conacher), 9:38. Penalties—Guidolin, Johnson, Fogolin, Kaiser, Roche.

Second period—2, Chicago, Mosienko (Bentley, Babando), 3:22; 3, Chicago, Guidolin, 13:20. Penalties—Miller, Bentley, Johnson.

Third period—4, Chicago, Babando (Bentley, Mosienko), 11:34; 5, Chicago, Johnson (major), Lundy (major), Guidolin (Babando), 15:08. Penalties—Guidolin.

Rain forced a cancellation of all scheduled games in the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Football Association Saturday.

TIME OUT! By Jeff Keate



"Sorry, Sir—it's ladies' league night!"

Hockey Standings

P.C.H.L.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
New Westminster	16	11	3	110	89	35
Portland	14	9	4	123	91	32
Tacoma	11	12	6	86	98	28
VICTORIA	10	11	6	87	91	26
Vancouver	8	11	9	84	106	25
Seattle	6	11	4	67	82	15

N.H.L.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Toronto	16	4	6	85	52	38
Detroit	14	6	4	74	46	32
Chicago	10	9	6	68	59	26
Montreal	9	14	5	55	69	23
Boston	8	13	5	57	76	21
New York	3	13	10	47	84	16

Canucks Fail To Overtake Cougars

Bosox Finally Acquire Scarborough

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Boston Red Sox bolstered their weak pitching staff today by acquiring southpaw Bill Wight and righthander Ray Scarborough in a major five-man deal involving some $500,000 worth of talent.

Outfielder Al (Zeke) Zarilla and pitchers Joe Dobson and Dick Littlefield went to Chicago in the sensational swap that broke the trading jam at the war-minded winter meetings.

The big deal was announced shortly after Frank Lane, Chicago general manager, disclosed he had turned down a New York Yankee offer of three men for Scarborough. The top flight pitcher was the subject of a wild bidding bee by New York and Boston last year when still with Washington. But Chicago got Scarborough in May.

Acquisition of Wight (10-16) and Scarborough (13-18), coming after the recent signing of Lou Boudreau, made the Red Sox American League favorites.

This move by Boston probably will force the Yankees, Detroit and Cleveland to strengthen themselves. What looked like a dull winter may now turn into a series of swaps.

Fourth Place At Stake Here Tomorrow Night

Cougars will get another chance to find a winning touch at home tomorrow night when they go against Murph Chamberlain's Vancouver Canucks. The Leger men will be trying for a reversal of their 2 to 1 loss in the mainland city Tuesday night.

The Canucks have not lost a game since they were joined by goalie Hec Highton. Tomorrow will be Highton's first appearance on Cougar ice since he crossed the straits, and his performance here will clarify a point of judgment by Victoria management.

In his last two starts, Highton hasn't won a game, but he hasn't lost one either. The Canucks tied 5 to 5 in Tacoma Saturday, and 3 to 3 in Portland last night.

The Canucks have not been beaten in their last eight starts.

Tomorrow's game will also settle the respective league standings of Canucks and Cougars. The Vancouver team is one point behind after the week-end play.

WIN OVER ROYALS

In New Westminster Saturday, the Cougars racked up their fourth win against the league leaders with Ed Mazur getting two and Reg Abobtt and Bob Frampton each getting a goal in the 4-to-1 victory.

Last night the Royals were disgraced 7 to 2 by the cellar-dwelling Seattle Ironmen.

According to general manager Fred Hutchinson, the Cougars looked like a different club against the Royals, Saturday, than the team which lost to Tacoma Friday. After spotting the Royals an early lead they came back to outplay the league leaders by a wide margin at the finish.

Goalie Jerry Cotnoir was outstanding for the Cougars, especially in the first period when he saved several point-blank drives.

Stan Long, Joe Evans and Andy Hebenton missed the game but Long will likely be back in action tomorrow night.

Hebenton has the club doctor's okay to play Friday if he feels fit. Evans will probably be out of action for another week.

Summaries follow:

SEATTLE 7, NEW WESTMINSTER 2

First Period—1, Seattle Archambeault, 7.34; 2, New Westminster, Ullyot (Paul), 17.18. Penalty: Dawes.

Second Period—3, Seattle, Filion (Thorpe, Bell), 3.12; 4, Seattle, Bell, 7.28. Penalty: Tkachuk.

Third Period—5, Seattle, Tkachuk (Kerr, Taillefer), 5.51; 6, Seattle, Filion (Bell, Thorpe), 10.05; 7, Seattle, Tkachuk (Kerr), 10.48; 8, Seattle, Thorpe, 14.50; 9, New Westminster, Ullyot (Peterson, Houle), 15.33. Penalties: Filion, Bloom.

Summary, Portland-Vancouver game, Sunday, not available.

VANCOUVER 5, TACOMA 5

First period—1, Vancouver, Russell (Unger) 8:02; 2, Tacoma Johnston (Rowe) 14:58. Penalty—Rozzini.

Second period—3, Tacoma Dheere 3:47; 4, Tacoma, Rowe (Lambrecht, Read) 7:23; 5, Vancouver, Milford (Reardon) 7:52; 6, Vancouver, Unger (Russell) 14:05. Penalties—Crozier, Rozzini, Gustavsen (2), Rowe, Reardon.

Third period—7, Tacoma, Toole (Andrews, Rozzini) 8:02; 8, Tacoma, Adam (Dheere) 9:31; 9, Vancouver, Milford (Reardon) 18:09; 10, Vancouver, Narduzzi (Unger, Russell) 19:44. Penalties—Johns, Lambrecht.

Total saves—Highton 18, Stevenson 24.

VICTORIA 4, NEW WESTMINSTER 1

First period—Scoring: none. Penalties—Houle, Lepine, Leger, Lavelle.

Second period—1, New Westminster, Gruhn (Love) 7:00; 2, Victoria, Mazur 7:56; 3, Victoria, Mazur (Dorohoy, Lepine) 18:49. Penalties—Huddleston.

Third period—4, Victoria, Frampton (Strongman, Medynski) 6:07; 5, Victoria, Abbott (Leger) 15:52. Penalties—Frampton, Gruhn (2), Goegan (2).

PROTEST THROWN OUT

Commercial Ice Teams Resume Action Tonight

President James Lackie of the Commercial Hockey League has announced that Gladwell Meteors' protest over a disputed goal has not been allowed.

The goal was scored by the Co-ops, giving them a tie with Meteors, in the Commercial League game played Nov. 27. Meteors claimed that goalie Derek McCooey was held on the ice by a Co-op player when the goal was scored.

In announcing that he had thrown out the protest, president Lackie said that a meeting of team officials, referee, linesmen and league executive revealed that the matter was a question of judgment and interpretation of the rules. He felt that in such a case the referee must be upheld.

CHANGE IN GAMES

Tonight's Commercial League fixtures at the Memorial Arena will follow the fixed schedule. It has been decided the contests called for last Monday will be played at the end of the season.

First game will see Civil Service matched with Capitals. The Keats men will be looking for a reversal of their 5 to 3 defeat suffered at the hands of the Caps earlier in the season.

Fishermen's Co-op will tangle with Navy in the sandwich session. Navy handed the Co-ops one of their few setbacks of the season when they won, 4 to 2, on Nov. 6. On the same night, Meteors tied Douglas Tire, and the two teams will be at it again in the final stanza tonight.

Ed Varga, Co-op's scintillating centre, is having things his own way in the individual scoring. The slick stick-handler leads three other Fishmen in heading the standings with 27 points.

Individual standings follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Varga, Fishermen's Co-Op	17	10	27
LaCree, Fishermen's Co-Op	7	8	15
Swanson, Fishermen's Co-Op	6	8	14
Neilson, Fishermen's Co-Op	4	5	9
Gallant, Gladwell's Meteors	6	3	9
Jensen, Gladwell's Meteors	4	5	9
Poulter, Civil Service	6	3	9
Harris, Civil Service	5	4	9
L. Bremner, Capitals	3	5	8
Wood, Navy	6	1	7
McKay, Navy	3	4	7
Clarke, Fishermen's Co-Op	4	2	6
Markle, Douglas Tire	4	2	6
Keats, Civil Service	4	2	6

Clubmen Seek Worthy Foes

Gar Taylor's undefeated Intermediate B Tillicums cage team is looking for worthy opposition.

The clubmen, who have not lost a league or exhibition game in two years of competition, Saturday night whipped Lake Cowichan, 77 to 20, though dressing only five players for the game.

Laurie Veitch paced the attack with 26 points followed by Ian Anderson with 20 and Al Davies with 19. Bill Hampton got seven and Barry Jackson five.

Taylor will accept matches with any club wishing to meet the Tillicums.

MEMORIAL ARENA
ICE SCHEDULE

MONDAY, DEC. 11—
7.00 to 8.30 a.m.—V.F.S.C.
9.30 to 11.00 a.m.—Cougars
12.00 to 1.00 p.m.—Firefighters
1.30 to 2.30 p.m.—Preschool Beginners' Classes
3.30 to 5.30 p.m.—Public Skating
7.00 p.m.—Commercial Hockey

TUESDAY, DEC. 12—
6.30 to 8.30 p.m.—Minor Hockey
11.00 to 12 Noon—Commercial
12.00 to 1.00 p.m.—Navy Juniors
2.30 to 4.30 p.m.—V.F.S.C.
8.30 p.m.—Pro Hockey
10.30 to 11.30 p.m.—Minor Hockey
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Alcos Show Promise By Upsetting Wests

Playing on a fast and surprisingly good pitch at lower Beacon Hill yesterday, Alcos surprised and delighted a good crowd of soccer fans by vaulting from the basement to fourth place in the Victoria and District Soccer League standings with a convincing 4 to 1 victory over Victoria West.

Strong in every department, Alcos took all of the first period to find their pace, but were never headed once they had the bit in their teeth. On yesterday's display, the lowly regarded Alcos will be a threat to any team in the league.

Wests first and only counter opened the scoring. A free kick taken by Lionel Speller was returned to him as he followed the ball in fast and drove it past Saddler with a bullet-like shot.

VICTORIA DISTRICT SOCCER LEAGUE

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Oak Bay	2	1	0	9	4	4
Britannia	2	1	0	7	3	4
Esquimalt	2	1	0	8	6	4
Alcos	1	1	0	5	4	2
Victoria West	1	1	0	6	6	2
Heaneys	0	1	0	1	3	0
Duncan	0	2	0	1	10	0

The half ended with the score 1 to 0 for Wests, but the customers were well aware that the pressing Alcos would not be denied. Only tough luck about the goal had maintained the Wests' lead.

ACKINCLOSE GETS TWO

The second half had been under way just over a minute when Alcos clicked. Geoff Wilkinson, centre forward, climaxed a brilliant attack by beating Norm Richards with a hard shot to the top corner.

A few minutes later right winger Jim Ackinclose put Alcos in the lead with a picture goal that was ticketed all the way. At the 43-minute mark in the game, Ackinclose did it again on a penalty kick.

Although the game was well in hand, Alcos never stopped driving and kept the Wests off balance throughout. A smart break one minute before time set Jim Perry up in front of the net for the final goal, making the score 4 to 1 for Alcos.

On Saturday Esquimalt moved into their first-place position by drubbing Heaneys, 3 to 1.

SPELLER GETS PAIR

The cartagemen in their first game since Nov. 5 were unable to match the dockyarders and by half time were on the short end of a 1 to 0 score. Gordy Duncan notched Esquimalt's first marker at 35 minutes, and within the first 10 minutes of the second half, Roy Speller had made it 3 to 0 with two well-executed scoring plays. Dave Bunt scored for Heaneys.

The Britannia-Duncan match scheduled for Athletic Park, Sunday, was cancelled because of ground conditions.

BURNS-HARRIS LIFT BUTTONS

The junior golf buttons changed hands Sunday.

Playing over their home course at Colwood, Terry Burns and Tommy Harris defeated the defenders, Ron Shea and John Merriman of Gorge Vale, 2 and 1.

Burns and Harris had a best ball of 70, Shea and Merriman 72.

Cooper-Harmon Pocket $1,250 Each At Miami

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Pete Cooper and Claude Harmon won the $10,000 Miami international four-ball golf tournament, defeating Dave Douglas and Jim Turnesa in the 36-hole finals, 1 up.

Cooper, of Ponte Vedra, Fla., and Harmon, of Palm Beach, Fla., went into the lead on the 15th and were never headed.

They went 2 up on the first hole of the afternoon round on Harmon's five-foot birdie putt, but Douglas, of Newark, Del., and Turnesa, of Briarcliff, N.Y., trimmed the margin to 1 up on the fifth with a par four.

The Cooper-Harmon duo maintained the advantage to the end. Harmon dropped a 15-footer on the final hole for a birdie three and conceded Douglas a bird to halve the hole.

The winners received $1,250 each and the runners-up got $750 each. The victory brought Cooper's winnings for the year to $7,880.

Golf Brooches Stay At Colwood

Elizabeth Matson and Elizabeth Paynter of Colwood Golf Club Sunday retained the E. D. Todd ladies' golf brooches with a 1 up victory over Mrs. I. McIntyre and Mrs. Shirley Paterson of Gorge Vale.

The winners had a best ball of 83, the losers 85.

Creighton Retains Club Shuttle Championship

After dropping the first set, 17-15, Murray Creighton came back to win the men's singles badminton championship for the second straight year at the Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton courts Saturday night. Taking a punishing second set, 15-10, Creighton demonstrated his superior staying power by following it with a convincing 15-2 victory over Jim Wells in the rubber.

In the four open finals, only the women's singles was settled in straight sets. Betty Berrington bowed to Karen Jorgenson, last year's Maritime champion, 11-2, 11-4.

Stan Bichard and Hugh Francis were extended by Norm Lambrick and Stu Reid to take the men's doubles laurels 16-17, 15-2, 18-13.

Bichard, who partnered Vince Martin to take the men's doubles last year, also figured in the extra-set mixed doubles play. With Helen Dewar he made successful bid for a second cup by defeating Clare King and Dave Ascott 15-8, 13-18, 15-6.

Closest contest of the evening was that staged by the women's doubles finalists. Mrs. Jorgenson and Mrs. Berrington, opponents in the singles, teamed up to beat Clare King and Karen Chalmers 15-10, 7-15, 15-10.

Future senior stars were seen in action in the junior finals. Barbara Rose and Ted Horsey were tops in the singles, Barbara defeating Bernice Jennings 11-1, 11-0, and Horsey taking the boys' crown from Don Rapanos 15-12, 15-9.

Other results follow:

Women's Handicap Doubles — Misses Becker and Thompson defeated Misses Boak and Duncan, 15-15, 15-2.

Men's Handicap Doubles—Larry Tarlow and Barry Ford defeated R. Hunt and R. Yellowlees, 5-15, 15-7, 15-13.

Mixed Handicap Doubles—To be played at a later date.

DODGERS CURTAIL BROADCASTS

Radio-Television On Major Leagues' Agenda

By LEO H. PETERSON

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (UP)—The major leagues, opening their annual mid-winter meetings, made radio and television their first order of business today, with indications strong that the minors were going to be ganted the relief they claim they granted the relief they claim they so sorely needed.

Although neither the American nor National League will take any formal action on the question of broadcasting and television their home games, it was certain the 16 clubs were going to act on an individual basis.

The first step in that direction came when the Brooklyn Dodgers announced that they will discontinue their broadcasting network in 1951 and curtail the radio description of their home games to a single New York station.

The Cincinnati Reds were reported ready to do the same thing and the New York Yankees were said to be working on reducing or eliminating the network which carries the New York games throughout the east.

Other clubs, which broadcast over networks, were considering action where definite commitments would permit changes.

By working out the problem on the basis of individual clubs, rather than taking concerted league action, baseball hoped to avoid any trouble with the justice department, which forced them to throw the radio and television rights open to all last season or face possible prosecution on anti-trust charges.

Now You Take The Ruy Lopez . . .

Victoria Chess Club president Jim Marshall, left, and city chess champion C. D. H. Moore discuss opening gambits at chess club headquarters during current city championships. Clocks on table are for timing moves. Each player starts his opponent's clock by pressing a button as soon as he has moved. Twenty-five moves (an average game) are allowed in an hour and a half.

LOUIS BASANTA, secretary of the Victoria Chess Club, is shown holding one of the large chessmen designed and made here for outdoor play on city park checker boards. Victoria club is one of the very few clubs in Canada to possess such a sest. Piece held by Basanta is the all-powerful queen.

A COMMON BOND

Membership Invited In City Chess Club

By LANCE WHITTAKER

In a small, smoke-filled but comfortable room on Langley Street 15 men had engaged 15 other men in a battle which concentrated every nerve, every ounce of mental energy.

The titanic struggle was singularly silent, so we dropped a pin to announce our presence.

Not by the movement of a single muscle did any one of the contestants acknowledge the interruption. The nearest man, through unmoving lips, and without lifting his eyes for a moment from his opponent's field of straegy, whispered, "Stop the clatter."

Discretion is still the better part of valor. We tiptoed out to return another day.

WIDE FRATERNITY

Friday evening, before play had begun, the atmosphere of the club rooms of the Victoria Chess Club was radically different. An old chess hand found a cordial welcome from president Jim Marshall and his fellow addicts. The men who greeted us came from all parts of the city and almost every walk of life. The world's oldest game is their common bond.

About half are entered in the city championship tournament, which is divided into two flights of eight players. It is a round-robin contest with a single point given for a win and a half a point for a tie. The four highest men in each flight will meet in the second round, to be concluded some time next March. Each tournament player plays a match game every week.

Current city champion is C. D. H. Moore, who is well up in the point standings at the half-way point in the first flight.

PLAY CALIBRE VARIES

Club president Marshall, who rates himself "close to a dub" as a player, is engaged with the remaining 15 members in a secondary tournament, and the entire membership takes part in a continuous ladder competition.

The Capital City Club embraces players of every degree of efficiency. "It is wrong," says secretary Louis Basanta, "for a player to avoid a chess club because he thinks the play will be too good for him. That is definitely not the case. There are probably hundreds of players in the city who would improve their game by coming out on a Tuesday or Friday evening—and they would be very welcome."

With president James Marshall and secretary Basanta on the executive are vice-president A. G. Moody, and treasurer T. J. Stewart. Executive committee members are H. Parry, C. D. H. Moore, C. D. Drew and J. A. L. Muir.

Chess Champion

AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands (CP)—Miguel Najdorf of Argentina Saturday was named winner of the international chess tournament which he had led through four weeks of play among 20 entries. His score was 15-4.

Samuel Reshevsky of the United States was second with 14-5 and Gideon Stahlberg of Sweden, third with 13½-5½.

PRYKE, CLARKE DON'T WIN BUT KEEP BUTTONS

Joe Pryke and Jack Clarke of Gorge Vale Golf Club technically are holders of the senior golf buttons today though they were unable to defeat clubmates Dick and Laurie Carroll Sunday.

The 18-hole match ended all square, and as it was too dark for the contestants to continue play, the match was re-scheduled for next Sunday at the Gorge. The defenders were one down at the turn. Each had a best ball of 72.

BOWLING SCORES

FINANCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Royal Bank—R. Compston 511, B. Jones 426, W. O'Hara 527, W. Pattenden 504, A. MacDonald 554. Handicap, 375. Total—2,897.

Horseshoe News—R. Bridger 613, A. Quinn 670, H. Bryan 576, G. Ritchie 645, B. Long 634. Total—3,138.

Horseshoe News, 3 points; Royal Bank, 1 point.

Orphans—D. McCaig 619, D. Tuck 494, B. Green 484, L. Larson 718, H. Butler 442, P. North 230. Total—2,987.

Bill's Spot Smokeshop—H. Hinton 830, G. Tufts 576, C. Johns 530, B. Morry 506, A. McHaffie 619. Handicap, 53. Total—3,114.

Bill's Spot Smokeshop, 3 points; Orphans, 1 point.

B.C.F.P.—T. Ainsley 609, E. Sandahl 615, Q. Lewis 572, W. Bates 641, M. Laverick 556. Handicap, 240. Total—3,233.

Halfway Taxi—J. Latham 770, E. Dede 544, G. Savory 776, N. Bambrough 659, H. Cowan 709. Total—3,458.

Halfway Taxi, 3 points; B.C.F.P., 1 point.

E. & N. Shops—T. Rose 622, P. Fisher 766, F. McLaughlin 550, J. Walker 729, H. Devereaux 650. Total—3,317.

Shawnigan Lumber—H. MacKay 744, J. Morton 591, R. McSween 760, W. Cruickshank 572, D. Anderson 584. Handicap 189. Total—3,440.

Shawnigan Lumber, 3 points; E. & N. Shops, 1 point.

Swifts Premiums—J. Lomas 610, S. Horseford 602, S. House 836, D. Donaldson 535, L. Jones 632. Total—3,015.

Stewart & Hudson—R. Passmore 508, L. Scott 762, G. Lawrence 866, C. Moggridge 531, C. Vaesen 582. Handicap, 93. Total—3,142.

Stewart & Hudson, 3 points; Swifts Premiums, 1 point.

Conway Remains With Eastern Club

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP)—Kevin (Crusher) Conway was still here Sunday and it was believed likely he would be in the line-up tonight when the Islanders of the Maritime Senior Hockey League meet Moncton Hawks in a regular league game at Amherst, N.S.

It had been expected that Conway would leave today for Vancouver to join the Canucks of the Pacific Coast League.

However, officials of the Islanders club said arrangements for transfer of the rearguard to the west coast professional league have not been completed.

Edmonton Boosts Prairie Ice Lead

EDMONTON (CP)—Roy Heximer, former Calgary Stampeder smoothie, played a prominent role when the league-leading Edmonton Flyers swaped the tail-end Regina Caps 7 to 2 in a Western Canada Senior Hockey League game Saturday night.

Flyers now lead Stampeders monton Flyers swamped the tail-the third-place Saskatoon Quakers by nine points.

Noor Captures Gold Cup Event

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP)—Noor raced to victory in the $100,000 Hollywood Gold Cup Saturday and convinced his arch rival, Hill Prince, and 50,007 roaring fans that he is the finest handicap horse in the United States this year.

The dark five-year-old horse from Ireland thundered under the wire to win this richest race of the year by a length in track-record time for 1¼ miles.

Isador Bieber's Palestinian scored a surprising second and Hill Prince, Chris Chenery's proud three-year-old champion, was a disappointing third.

United Captures Inside Track On Playoff Berth

As the boy in the press box said shortly after Saturday's Coast Soccer League game between United and New Westminster Royals got under way: "How many games has United won this year?"

That question, which was answered about two hours later after United had disposed of the Royal, 4 to 1, for their third victory of the campaign, brings up an interesting point.

Though United has only won three games, this total is only surpassed by one other club in the five-team circuit — North Shore Reds.

The Reds, who lead the league by a margin of three points over St. Andrews, who they tied Saturday, 1 to 1, have six victories. Every other club has three, which proves that United despite its lowly position is still to be reckoned with in the forthcoming league playoffs.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
North Shore	6	2	2	30	17	14
St. Andrews	3	3	5	16	15	11
Vancouver City	3	2	3	19	20	9
VICTORIA UNITED	3	5	2	19	26	8
New Westminster	3	6	2	21	27	8

UNITED FAVORED

The locals just about clinched a post-season berth here on Saturday by trimming the Royals. The result left United and Royals tied in fourth place, each with eight points. United has two games remaining and Royals one.

A United victory over North Shore or Vancouver City, who play here on successive Saturdays, combined with a defeat to Royals would put United in the select four. Three points out of four would definitely cinch matters for the locals; two points would assure them of no worse than a tie, and one point would even be good enough if Royals lose to City in their final league appearance.

McGEE SHINES

Sparking a vastly improved United team to victory Saturday was little Den McGee, the butt of many caustic and uncalled for remarks from the spectators in the past.

McGee drove home two goals, the first a terrific drive from the 18-yard line in the first half that gave goalie Ian Mackay of Royals absolutely no chance and the second a low screamer along the ground in the second half.

Cedric Robb, another youngster in United's "youth movement," was also outstanding on his right wing position.

United found themselves on the short end of the count early in the game when Luke Lindenberg took advantage of slow-covering Victoria defence to drill the ball into the corner of the twine past the outstretched arms of Joe Travis. It was Royals' first shot on goal and came after United had had four successive shots blocked at the other end.

McGee squared the count at the 23-minute mark when centre forward Tom Druce set up the play. A minute later Druce tipped in the winner, just getting his foot to a cross from left winger Jack Spry.

ROBBINS AGAIN

Halfway through the second half McGee got the clincher after a concerted drive by United. Shortly after, centre-half Jim Schultheis handled a cross from Robb and Jack Robbins made no mistake from the spot. When Robbins misses one it's going to be news.

Over on the mainland Harry Buchanan gave North Shore a first-half lead against the Scots from a scramble in front of goalie John Newbold, but St. Andrews came back to gain a draw when George Steele picked up Lisle Scott's rebound and slammed it by a prostrate Frank Ashdown.

CULMONE 18 SHY OF MARK

NEW YORK (AP)—Jockey Joe Culmone, leading rider of 1950, boosted his season total of victories to 365 at Tropical Park Saturday by winning one race in eight tries. He scored on Bright Player, which paid $11.10.

Willie Shoemaker, closest to Culmone among riders in the United States, remained 14 behind Joe as he, too, clicked once.

Culmone now is 23 behind Walt Miller's all-time record of 388 victories in a season set in 1906, and has 18 more racing days to go.

Full Schedule For Minor Hockey Clubs

Victoria Minor Hockey Association returns to a full schedule of games this week with the feature clash being the Island Junior League meeting between Navy and Vics at the arena Wednesday night at 9.

The game will be preceded by two juvenile contests, Cubs clashing with Capitals at 7 and Bruins meeting Royals at 8.

On Saturday's card, Cubs downed Capitals, 4 to 1, and Royals tied Bruins, 2 to 2, in midget games. Bruins beat Senators, 4 to 1, and Royals blanked Capitals, 3 to 0, in bantam division encounters.

Goal scorers in the midget class were Bucroft, Ron Gouell, Jack Harding and Price for Cubs; Gordon Carey for Capitals; Ken Maycock and Noel Boston for Royals, and Dave Edgar and Allan Orr for Bruins.

This week's schedule follows:

Tuesday—6.30 a.m.: juveniles, Senators vs. Maroons; 10.30 p.m.: all junior players are requested to turn out.

Thursday—6.30 a.m.: midgets, Maroons vs. Bruins.

Saturday—6.30 a.m.: midgets, Royals vs. Cubs; 7.30 a.m.: midgets, Capitals vs. Senators; 8.30 a.m.: bantams, Maroons vs. Senators; 9.20 a.m.: bantams, Cubs vs. Capitals; 10.30 a.m.: bantams, Bruins vs. Royals.

UPLANDS TURKEY COMPETITION

W. Dunworthy, with a net 66, won Saturday's turkey competition at Uplands Golf Club. Sunday's net winner was A. Elworthy with 64; low gross went to G. K. Verley with 70.

Sangha Scores Third Possible

Sgt. Sangha of the 89th Squadron, Royal Canadian Air Cadets, fired his third possible of the season in the cadet corps' regular weekly rifle shoot at the armories last week.

Scores follow:

R.C.A. Cadets—Sangha 100, L.A.C. Todd 98, Sgt. Thompson 97, A.C. 2 Berry 94, Cpl. Young 93, A.C. 2 Putland 93, A.C. 1 Gerard 90, A.C. 2 Kitely 89.

Canadian Scottish Cadets—Vogler 95, Drmr. Shipley 94, Sgt. Roome 92, Cpl. Doidge 92, R.S.M. Caldwell 92, L.C. Shirley 91, Cpl. Barber 91, Cdt. Belfie 90.

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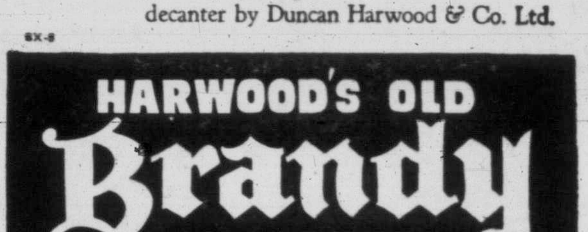

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NOVEL SKI SCHOOL SET FOR EARLY IN JANUARY

Victoria's first ski school is set to start Jan. 3.

Pro-Rec supervisor Ed. Kelter, meeting with the Victoria Ski Club executive last week, agreed to undertake the school on the assurance that a minimum of 40 members will be in attendance. Sessions will be held in the Crystal Garden lower ballroom commencing at 7.30.

Secretary Irene Locke reported that 85 applications for membership in the new ski club have been received; an additional 65 or 70 are expected to make application before the first of the year.

TO MEET OLYMPICS

Arrangements were completed for the "get-acquainted" banquet with members of the Olympic Ski Club of Port Angeles, Washington. The affair will be held at the Club Sirocco Saturday.

Tentative plans for a trek to Mount Brenton were voiced by transportation committee chairman Frank Porter. The idea had been put forward, he explained, to acquaint skiers with the route to ski grounds and conditions that will be encountered. The trek will be made by a caravan of private cars and will be an all-day affair.

TO PUBLISH BULLETIN

Publicity committee chairman Gordon Bowes said plans were in hand for the publication of a regular club bulletin. Issued bi-weekly, with the first copy to be mailed near the end of December, the bulletin will keep skiers posted on snow conditions and Victoria Ski Club activities.

President Jack Lindsay told the meeting that a panel discussion on equipment will be planned for the next meeting of the club, Jan. 11. It was felt that expert advice should be made available to novices who were buying expensive equipment and clothing for their first venture on skis.

Rickey Sees No Curtailment In Baseball

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) Branch Rickey, his managerial problems settled by the retention of Bill Meyer at Pittsburgh, predicted Saturday that baseball would continue in the event of total mobilization.

The astute general manager of the Pirates, who arrived here yesterday for the major league convention, scoffed at rumors of a government ban on baseball to further the war effort.

"It is my firm conviction that the government would want baseball to make every effort to continue," Rickey told a press conference. "Baseball must be kept going.

"I believe we should and would adjust ourselves rapidly to the war situation," Rickey added. "I know of no reason why both the government and baseball should not make every effort to do the same as in the last war."

Rickey pointed out that the game survived the Second World War despite total mobilization.

HELPS MORAL

"The government, at great expense, undertook during the last war to divert attention of the servicemen from the monotony of their work. Baseball helped by organizing groups to tour the war fronts. That was done by the government for the sake of the morale of the men in uniform as well as those in overalls.

"If that had service then, the same principle should be embraced now."

Rickey said he had made up his mind to retain Meyer a week ago but did not tell the veteran until Thursday.

High-Scoring Benn Is Brentwood Ace

Ron Benn's 17 points played a big part in the 48 to 17 victory notched by Brentwood Aces when they defeated Sidney Reserve Army in the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League at the Lake Hill gym Friday.

Brentwood intermediate B's had more trouble than their older brothers, but won out 28 to 26 over Saanichton.

McNutt's Loggerettes defeated Brentwood girls 31 to 17 in an exhibition preliminary.

Swede Sailing

This Swedish-built 44-foot craft, loaned to Sea Scouts at Rye, N.Y., by the Swedish Consul, is equipped with the novel Ljungstroem rig and single, full-rotating mast and sail, which doubles the effective sail area. The sail is reefed or furled simply by rotating the mast.

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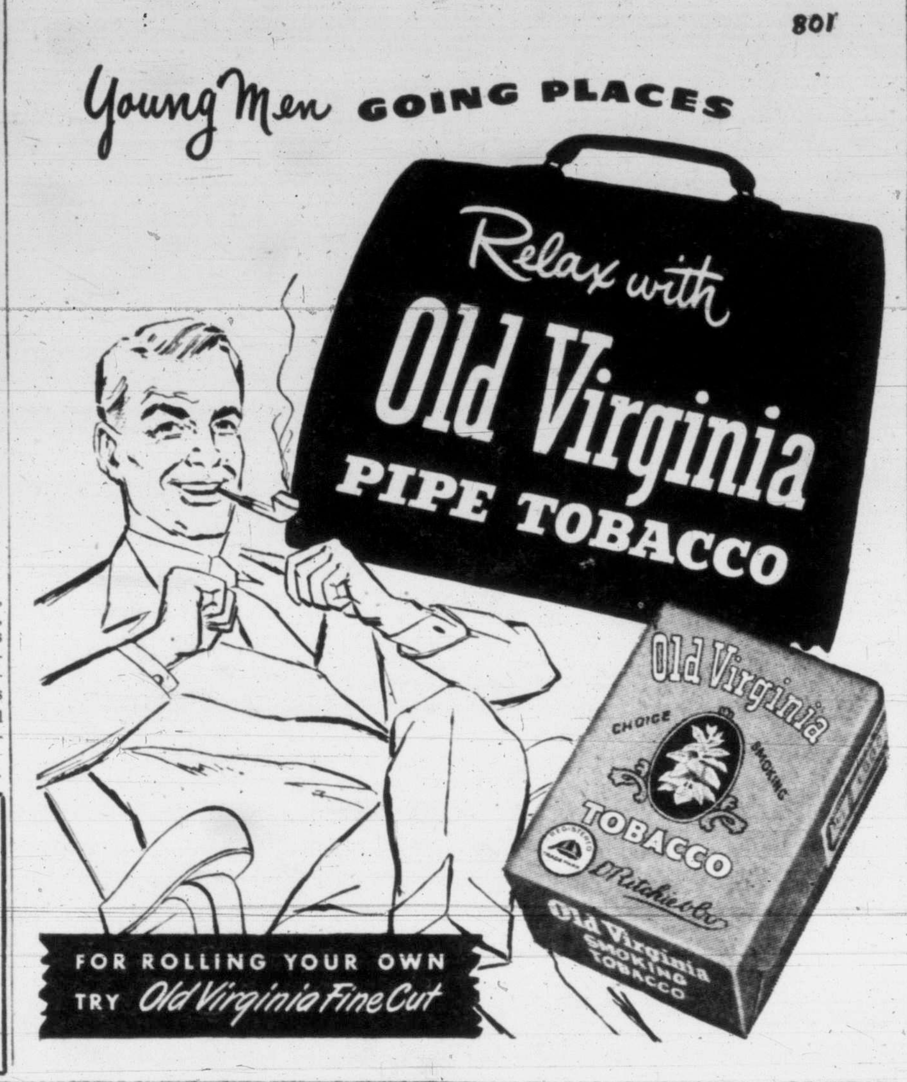
English Side Held To Draw By Queensland

TOOWOOMBA, Australia (Reuland country team here Saturday day cricket match with a Queensland country team here today after an exhibition of carefree hitting.

The English side, which scored 428 for six wickets declared in the first innings, put out the Queensland team for 220. England did not enforce the follow on but batted again in deference to the wishes of the home captain who wanted the local crowd to have a second chance of seeing the tourists in action.

England rattled up 294 for seven in quick time before declaring a few minutes before the close. It was the eighth draw of the England team's tour.



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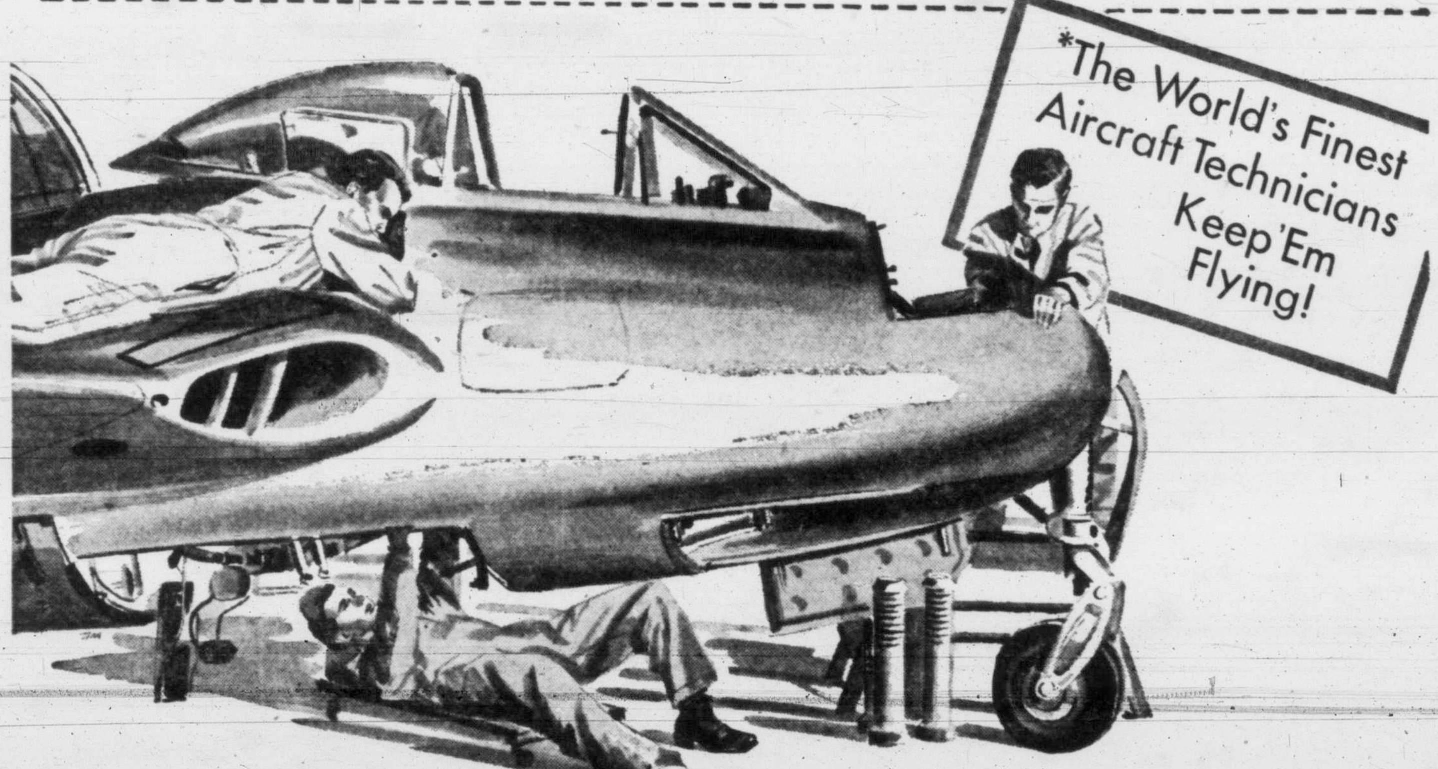

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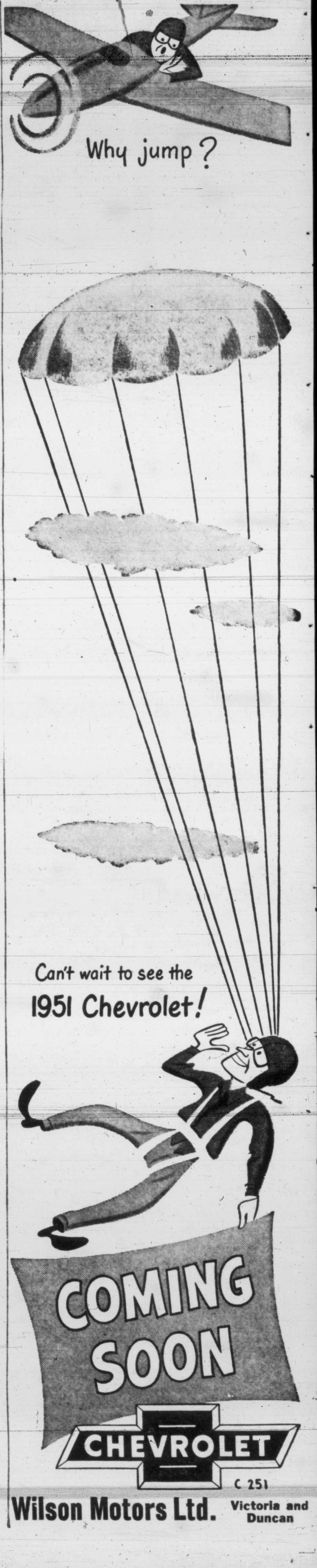

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Charity May Win In Tiff

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some charity may be the winner in the disagreement between President Truman and music critic Paul Hume over Margaret Truman's singing ability.

Hume, critic for the Washington Post, said Sunday night he has had several offers for the letter, in which Truman threatened to beat him up for writing that Margaret sang flat in a Washington concert.

He hasn't made up his mind whether to sell the letter or not, Hume said, but if he does the proceeds will go to charity.

Miss Truman, who said after the letter became public, that Hume had a right to say what he thought, winds up her current concert tour tonight in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Silences Cowbell

BLIND RIVER, Ont. (CP)—Hugh Horner, farmer near Bruce Mines, figures it must have been a near-sighted hunter who shot at his cow. He found a bullet hole had silenced the bell around the neck of one of his Ayrshire cows, but the animal was not harmed.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Granger's Equestrianship Show Leaves Scribes Gaping

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

HOLLYWOOD (NEA) — Londoners are wondering what will happen when M.G.M. assigns **Stewart Granger** to gallop across the plains on a speeding steed. Several years ago, a British newspaperman accused Granger of using a double in his riding scenes and the star countered by inviting the press to his farm to prove that he could ride.

While photographers and reporters stood by, it is told, Granger mounted a docile nag, walked the beast slowly around the paddock, dismounted and said:

"There!"

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Top brass at Warners is looking puzzled about rumors of **Jimmy Stewart**, **Herb Shriner** and **Arthur Godfrey** as contenders for the star role in the **Will Rogers** biography. Will, Jr., they insist, will play the part.

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Aside to **Rhonda Fleming** and **Wanda Hendrix**. A Hollywood agent is peddling a gorgeous blonde named **Wanda Fleming** to the studios. . . . **Miriam Hopkins** is hatching out plans to star in "The Besieged Heart" on the London stage. That's the play **Gloria Swanson** was slated to do as a movie in Turkey.

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The Republicans are cooking up a big political future for **Robert Montgomery**. They toyed with the idea of running him for mayor of New York but decided he would be more useful against F.D.R., Jr., in the next campaign.

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Ann Sheridan now holds the record as the movie queen who has collected the biggest bag of loot from TV. Add up each $5,000 fee collected by Annie for her video appearances and you get a sum that sounds like her film salary.

FIFI'S BACK

A movie comeback is fizzing for Fifi D'Orsay, the ooh-la-la spitfire of the early talkie era. Back in action after a three-year retirement as the wife of Ricky La Ricos, Fifi told me between shows at the Bar of Music:

"Ees not publeec zat forget you. Ze publeec, zey remembaire and loff you. Ees those darn agents. Zey are ze dubious ones. Thees ees lak a resurrection for me to be back een Hollywood. Keed, I'm back in ze groove."

MOVIE CALENDAR

(As Advertised and Starting Times)

ATLAS — "Stars in My Crown," starring Joel McCrea and Ellen Drew, at 3.02, 6.01, 9.30; plus "Military Academy."

CAPITOL—"The Glass Menagerie," starring Jane Wyman and Kirk Douglas, at 1.00, 3.04, 5.08, 7.12, 9.16.

DOMINION — "All About Eve," starring Bette Davis and Anne Baxter, at 1.15, 3.47, 6.19, 9.10.

OAK BAY — "My Friend Irma," starring Marie Wilson. Doors 6.30.

ODEON — "The Sleeping City," starring Richard Conte and Coleen Gray.

PLAZA—"So Young, So Bad," starring Paul Henreid, plus "Naughty Arlette."

RIO — "Feuding, Fussing and a-Fighting," with Donald O'Connor; plus "Arizona Cowboy." Doors 6 p.m.

ROYAL — "Three Secrets," starring Eleanor Parker and Patricia Neal, at 1.07, 3.11, 5.17, 7.22, 9.30.

HOLLYWOOD REVIEW

Acting Folk 'Not Normal,' Maintains Lauren Bacall

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Lauren Bacall comes right out with the admission that the acting folk are not normal. In fact, they might even be a bit wacky.

This is quite a revelation. For years Hollywood has been trying to tell us that movie stars are "just plain folks" like the people next door. I have always believed that to be pure malarky. If all citizens were like movie stars, this would be a fascinating, but some catastrophic world.

Miss Bacall believes so, too. She remarked:

"A person has to be un-normal to get into this kind of a business. Normal people couldn't take it.

SLIGHTLY DEMENTED

"In the first place, you have to be slightly demented to make a fool of yourself in front of bored people. In the movie business, you have to do tense scenes in front of a whole crew of people who don't care a bit about what you are doing. They've been there for years and have seen Colleen Moore, Gloria Swanson and many others before you.

"Very often you will find yourself playing a dramatic scene face-to-face with some gaping tourist visiting the studio. How can you be normal and do that?

"Also, you have to be a little nuts to get up at 6 o'clock every morning to go to work."

"The Look," as she was known in her earlier film days, admitted that acting people can be hard to live with. She is married to one, a guy named Humphrey Bogart.

16 GIRLS FOUND THEY SHARED SAME FIANCE

AMSTERDAM (Reuter)—Sixteen girls invaded police headquarters here after finding out they all shared the same fiance.

A 24-year-old miner from Limburg Province was alleged to have posed as a Dutch airline pilot and promised marriage to each of the 16 girls.

Visiting them in turn, he explained his absences by flights to foreign countries.

He wore a uniform of his own design, closely resembling the uniform of Royal Dutch Airlines pilots.

His trick was disclosed when one of his "fiancees" opened his correspondence.

Got Wallpaper But No Tacks

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Maybe the woman customer hadn't heard about the new sales tax. After paying $1.50 for three rolls of wallpaper at 50 cents a roll, she was leaving when the clerk said "How about the tax, please." She replied: "That's all right; I'm going to paste it up."

HORIZONTAL

1 Depicted flag of the United
8 This group was formed to promote world
13 Semitic language
14 Come in
15 Sesame
16 Rascal
18 Mineral rock
19 Employ
20 Spanish title
21 Moccasin
22 Anent
23 Size of shot
24 Essential being
27 Great Lake
29 Either
30 Sell
31 Without
33 Bone
34 Prod
35 English school
38 Cerium (ab.)
39 Negative reply
40 Lettuce variety
42 Indian province
47 Male sheep
48 Tree
49 Indian group
50 Moslem title
51 Fry lightly
53 Grtified
55 Surgical thread
56 Hunting dogs

VERTICAL

1 Disposition
2 Gets up
3 Story
4 Not (prefix)
5 It was founded at Dumbarton
6 Number
7 Glance over
8 Look
9 Half an em
10 Above
11 Alubminous substance
12 Built
17 Verso (ab.)
25 Ballad
26 Gaelic
27 Bacchanals' cry
28 Repose
31 It meets at Lake ——, New York
32 Interstices
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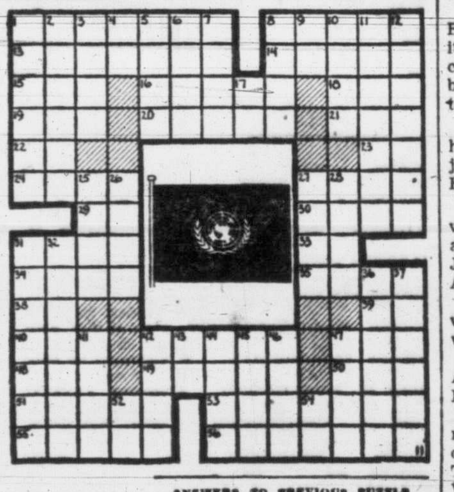
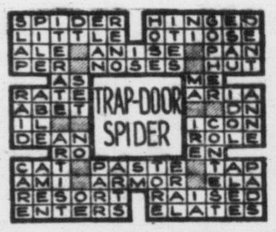


ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE



Film Deals With Delinquent Girls

Scene from the United Artists drama "So Young, So Bad," starring Paul Henreid and Catherine McLeod, at Plaza Theatre, shows brutality of farmer to orphan Jane, prevented by her friend, armed with pitchfork.

Earl Of Essex Gets Quickie Marriage To Make It Legal

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — The 66-year-old Earl of Essex and his 37-year-old fiancee left their honeymoon cottage here Saturday night for a quickie marriage ceremony after discovering that they were not legally wed.

They had gone to the cabin for the night after having appeared before a Seattle judge. They assumed they had been married, and so told reporters. But a query to the judge disclosed that he had granted them only a waiver on the legally-prescribed three-day wait which is supposed to precede all marriages.

The news flashed on the radio. British Consular officers heard it. The landlady at their motor court was notified. She rushed breathless to their cabin and told them.

Near midnight the earl and his fiancee went to the home of justice of the peace Delbert Bresemann.

Bresemann said the couple were "very nervous." They were accompanied by two Tacomans, J. S. Katuschwski and Mildred A. Cooke.

"I gave them a quiet office wedding—a two-ring ceremony with candlelight," he said.

"I didn't know the earl from Adam. That's the first nobility I've ever married."

The earl and his fiancee arrived in Vancouver last Wednesday from Melbourne, Australia. They motored Saturday from Vancouver to Seattle.

The nobleman's family name is Algernon George de Vere Capell. He is the eighth Earl of Essex, a name prominent in British history for nearly three centuries. His bride is the former Z. Mildred Carlson, a native of New York.

It was the earl's third marriage.

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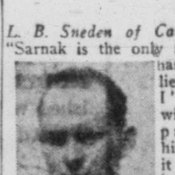
Mr. L. F. Wolfe, 270 W. 48th Ave., Vancouver, B. C.: "Before taking Sarnak I felt tired, rundown and my appetite was poor. This condition caused me to try various thing during the past two years that were supposed to help, but nothing I did gave me the results that Sarnak has given. After taking Sarnak for two weeks my appetite has improved about 100 per cent and I feel fine. I highly recommend Sarnak to anyone else who suffers as I did and hope this little note will be read by others and that they too will try this fine product."

Miss Kay Beattie, 3138 East 27th St., Vancouver, B. C.: "For twelve years I haven't been able to eat or sleep properly due to nervousness. Nothing I did helped me until I tried Sarnak. Now I eat much better, sleep better and my nerves are more settled. I haven't quite finished my first bottle but believe me, I'm going to continue with Sarnak for a while as I've had such good results so far. A million thanks for this medicine."

Mr. Clarence Budynski, 56 Cadillac Ave., Victoria, B. C.: "Periodically during the past five years, I've suffered with stomach disorders, gas pains and backache. I've tried to get relief but it wasn't till I tried Sarnak that I got the help I wanted. Sarnak brought relief from the first bottle. I think Sarnak is a fine medicine and won't be without it in my home. I hope others will learn of it and that they too will benefit as I have."

Mrs. C. Wallacesko, Lethbridge, Alta.: "I can't praise Sarnak enough for what it has done for me. For years I've suffered with sore back and stomach upsets. Every morning my stomach acted up and I felt weak all the time. After taking two bottles of Sarnak I got relief from my troubles and now feel fine thanks to Sarnak. I've told my friends about Sarnak and they too are using it. I can only say the best for this medicine."



L. B. Sneden of Camrose, Alta.: "Sarnak is the only medicine that has given me relief. For years I've suffered with severe pain in my hips. At times it was almost impossible to get out of bed. I had been told that no medicine would do me any good but after taking one bottle of Sarnak I am now feeling fine."

Mrs. W. G. Taylor of 521½ Giroux St., St. Boniface, Man.: "I appreciate what Sarnak has done for me. For three years my back has been giving me trouble and recently I read about your new medicine and decided to try it. My backache was relieved within two days. I got my husband to start taking Sarnak and he too has benefitted. I hope Sarnak helps others as it has helped us."

Mrs. Frances Dawson, Brentwood Bay, B.C.: "I am a housewife and for five years I have suffered with a kidney disorder. I have tried in different ways to get relief. After only one bottle of Sarnak, I feel much better and recommend it highly to others suffering from kidney trouble. I am starting my second bottle now and wouldn't want to be without Sarnak for the world. I only have high praise for this medicine."

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Health Institute

DETROIT (AP)—General Motors Corporation has announced it is putting up $1,500,000 for establishment of an institute of industrial health at the University of Michigan. C. E. Wilson G.M. president, said G.M. will provide $100,000 yearly for 10 years for research and to meet expenses of the institute.

Britain, Canada Close On World Problems—Attlee

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister Attlee said Sunday night the world would have "no need to fear aggression" if the United Nations could be so strengthened that its members would act with the "same remarkable" co-operation as the members of the British Commonwealth.

"When the ideals for which we stand are threatened, we react in the same way instinctively," he said in a 10-minute address over a CBC national network.

At a press conference earlier Sunday Mr. Attlee said a "general identity of views" exists between Britain and Canada on the present critical world situation.

But that was as far as the quietly spoken British prime minister would go in commenting at the conference on the current talks with Prime Minister St. Laurent and members of the Canadian cabinet.

The press conference was expected to be one of the highlights of his two-day visit here following talks in Washington with President Truman. However, reporters were disappointed by the dearth of publishable news about his views on his Ottawa and Washington visits and on the world picture generally.

Mr. Attlee opened the conference with a brief general statement, in which he reported that Britain and the United States are "very close" on objectives and methods. He then ruled that his answers to ensuing questions must be strictly off the record and not for publication.

Mr. Attlee's press conference was almost overshadowed by a statement to reporters Saturday night by Mr. St. Laurent that the information he has "is that the United Nations are not going to be driven out of Korea."

Mr. St. Laurent made that statement after Mr. Attlee, in a meeting lasting an hour and 20 minutes, had briefed the Canadian cabinet on the broad background of his chats with Mr. Truman and presumably on British policy generally. Earlier, Mr. St. Laurent and Mr. Attlee had met privately for a half hour.

Sunday, Mr. Attlee lunched with Mr. St. Laurent and was with him Sunday night at an official dinner at Rideau Hall, residence of the Governor-General. Saturday night, too, they were together—at a government dinner for Mr. Attlee.

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C.C.F. CANDIDATE in coming Esquimalt provincial by-election will be 24-year-old Frank Mitchell. The native son won the nomination by a single vote over Archie McIntyre at a convention Friday night at Luxton. A plasterer by trade, Mr. Mitchell has been active in the C.C.F. the last four years.

$200,000 Fire

TORONTO (CP)—Fire Sunday night destroyed the two-story building of Export Publishing Enterprises, which publishes comic books, pocket-book editions and junior weeklies, in suburban Toronto. A. R. Steele, company vice-president, estimated the loss at $200,000 and said the blaze started from an oil burner.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

"Please comment on the bidding of this hand," requests an Allentown correspondent. "It looks to me as though South ought to play the hand at three no-trump instead of four spades. He's safe enough if clubs aren't opened, or if they split 4-4. But I'll be darned if I can see who ought to bid no-trump, when neither North nor South has any semblance of a club stopper.

"The defenders led three rounds of clubs, and South ruffed the third round with the nine of spades. He then laid down the three top trumps, discovering the bad news. He next tried to run the diamonds, hoping that West would follow to three rounds, in which case dummy would lead a fourth diamond to get rid of the losing heart from the South hand. However, West ruffed the third diamond, and South eventually had to lose a heart trick.

"What do you think of all this?"

I think that my Pennsylvania friend is trying to pull my leg. To begin with, three no-trump is a very poor contract—even though the actual 4-4 club break permits it to be made against any defence. In the second place, five diamonds is a very easy contract, and South should have bid it. In the third place, South could and should have made his contract of four spades.

The play at four spades is very interesting. When South ruffs the third round of clubs, he should see that four trumps to the jack would be very awkward. Hence he should immediately lead the ten of spades!

The chances are that West would play low—not dreaming that South would make such a play with the three top trumps. Then South would make the rest!

Even if West took the jack of spades, he could do no further damage. If he led another club, dummy would ruff. (This is why South must give up a trump trick at once rather than later on.) If West leads anything else, South regains the lead, draws the rest of the trumps, and runs the diamonds.

NORTH 11
♠ 8 4
♥ 7 4 3
♦ A K J 8 6
♣ 7 3 2

WEST	EAST
♠ J 7 5 2	♠ 6 3
♥ Q 9 8	♥ J 10 6 2
♦ 7 3	♦ 9 5 2
♣ Q J 10 4	♣ A K 8 6

SOUTH (D)
♠ A K Q 10 9
♥ A K 5
♦ Q 10 4
♣ 9 5

Both vul.

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead—♣ Q

Officers Named By Ratepayers' Group

Gordon Head-Cadboro Bay Ratepayers' Association, officers have been elected as follows: N. C. Bell, president; Brig. G. A. McCarter, vice-president; Hudson Jones, secretary-treasurer; Rex Hardy, Capt. R. C. Barman, J. L. Hobbs, C. U. Haywood, W. E. Pitchford, and Col. A. V. Chase, executive committee members.

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NEWCOMERS TO VICTORIA

Exciting Life At Farouk's Court Highlights Career Of Ione Airaldi

By GWEN CASH

A tall, slender, distinguished-looking woman with dark blue eyes and pale hair lightly touched with grey, who was never trained to work but has done jobs so fascinating they sound like pages from an adventure story, is among the latest comers to Victoria.

Her experiences include three and a half years with a maharani, life at the court of Farouk, King of Egypt, studying art in Florence, and owning and running a hotel at Bembridge, Isle of Wight. Her last job was here in Victoria and is by no means the least interesting.

Her name is Ione Airaldi. The first because her father, Francis Evans-Freke, besides being a barrister was a Greek scholar, loved Greece. The second because she married an Italian who followed her to Canada a couple of years ago. It is her second marriage but she has known "Nicky" Airaldi 20 years.

SEE IT YOURSELF

As a child, Ione went to the famous Miss Douglas School for Young Ladies at Queensgate, London, Eng. Miss Douglas was an eccentric educator with advanced ideas, apt to say at the beginning of a period in art instruction: "But you can't understand that unless you see it," and whip the whole class off to Paris, or Rome or any other spot she thought might illustrate a point. Girls enjoyed school with Miss Douglas; it was so unexpected. It seems to have set the tenor of Ione's life ever since.

She needed money for which she had no intention of asking her parents when she came to London with her small child to get the divorce she wouldn't tell them about.

Through the good offices of India House she found herself riding herd on an elderly, charming and extremely pious maharani, the maharani's second son, Prince Victor, and two beautiful and erratic daughters, who all lived in an enormous house under the impression they were cutting down expenses.

'LIKE A PAWN SHOP'

"They couldn't have been more wrong," says Mrs. Airaldi. "Brought up with the wildest extravagance in a palace in India, they had little idea of the value of money. For all their wealth, they continually overspent in Paris and London. My job was to dole out current expenses and daily allowances. It didn't do much good. Mornings when I arrived about 9.30, I'd find taxi drivers, waiters, cabaret owners, sitting about the hall waiting for me to ransom the jewels the family handed over when they were caught without cash. It was like a pawn shop."

She left the Maharmi with the nicest letter from Prince Victor inscribed on exquisite paper under a hand-painted and gold encrusted monogram.

Italy was mostly a period of leisure with a villa at Alassio and art study in Florence.

Her association with King Farouk and his family came about because someone—she can't remember whom—asked did she know of a suitable house at or near Kingston, where his mother and four sisters, plus a small retinue, could live while His Majesty was learning to be a soldier at Woolwich.

She did. It belonged to a friend who was going abroad. But the friend wouldn't rent the house which was filled with precious antiques unless Ione went with it to look after them. This was in 1936. Her son was at boarding school and she was free so she became part of the Egyptian Royal Household.

BORE ONLY DAUGHTER

"What I expected to turn up, I hardly know now," she recalls. "But it certainly wasn't the lovely and modish Frenchwoman who was Queen Nazli or the charming young girls Fawzah, Faiza, Faika and Fathia. It was Fawzah, you remember who was later divorced by the Shah of Iran because she bore him only daughters. And Faiza later angered her brother Farouk by marrying an American.

"With the girls, introduced as a friend, was pretty, charming Farita, who later became Faouk's bride. She was divorced, to, because her two children were girls.

"Queen Nazli was a wonderful, radiant creature, always surrounded by flowers, gaiety and expensiveness. She didn't know the meaning of money. How she is able to live in San Francisco now her son has confiscated her estates, I can't think.

"When the Egyptian Royal Family returned to Cairo, Queen Nazli quite took it for granted I should go with them. But I had other obligations. My son was due for holidays. Later, however, when he returned to school I did join them."

SCRUBBED FLOORS

Life in Cairo and at the summer palace of Montaza was luxurious and interesting but after Munich Ione began to get uneasy and finally went to London to join the army. There she scrubbed floors, did all kinds of menial jobs, earned her commission the hard way to become a welfare officer.

With her gift for getting on with all sorts of people, her adventure into hotel keeping didn't lack interest but she was glad to sell the place—at a profit.

Then came letters from Canada from friends who had recently settled at Qualicum, V.I. "You'll love this place," they wrote, so often and so variously, she finally packed and came. "Nicky" Airaldi followed a few months later. They were married and bought a small bungalow up-island but eventually decided Victoria was the place they wanted to make their home.

Knowing few people in the city but feeling that with things as they are with English funds she would like to make a little money to spend over Christmas, Ione applied at the personnel office of one of the department stores. She filled in forms, answered innumerable questions.

SAMPLES COURTESY

Oh yes, they had just the job for her. Come back tomorrow. The job was to "sample" the courtesy of the store's salespeople.

For many days she went shopping on a charge account opened up for her—"which gave me a lot of ideas not good for my husband's pocket."

Buying everything she fancied—all of which had to be returned later, said she sadly—she observed the manners of the clerks who waited on her, gave them mental marks for courtesy and various other qualifications that go to make up a good merchandiser. Once it was suggested she should be one of those horrors that drive saleswoman daffy; ask for everything and reject it all. Even that failed to evoke anything but good manners from the girl behind the counter.

"The experience taught me a lot," says Mrs. Airaldi, always eager to learn. "And the store couldn't fail to be pleased with their staff."

One other interesting fact about her. She is descended from one of the few women buried among the great in Westminster Abbey. That woman is Nance Oldfield, litterateur, Shakespearan actress and friend of Queen Anne.

MacArthur Halts Briefing Sessions

TOKYO (AP) — Gen. MacArthur's headquarters at the week-end suspended informative briefing session for war correspondents, presumably for reasons of security.

MacArthur's no-censorship rule still prevails, but the new order means a basic source of news and background is closed to correspondents.

Soon afterwards, the British commander for Korea said the need for censorship is "growing stronger every day."

It was the second time in a week that Lt.-Gen. Sir Horace Robertson had raised the question of censorship.

It was not yet clear whether briefings also would be suspended at 8th Army and 10th Corps headquarters in, Korea.

AUTOMATIC PILOT FOR JETS

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new automatic pilot being produced for the U.S. Air Force can guide jet planes through good or bad weather and may even fire their guns aimed by radar.

The air force announced the device at the week-end, calling it "the first mechanism developed which can meet the high speed and manoeuvrability required to fly today's jet fighters." Automatic pilots are customary in bombers and transports, but not fighters.

The new robot pilot, called the F-5 autopilot, was developed by Lear Inc. of Grand Rapids,, Mich., in co-operation with the air material command.

Nine Men From Four Countries Receive Coveted Nobel Awards

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP)—Nobel Prizes worth nearly $200,000 and inestimable prestige were presented Sunday to nine men from four countries for outstanding services to mankind.

Receiving the 50th anniversary awards, here and in Oslo, Norway, were four Americans, two Britons, two Germans and a Swiss.

Norway's King Haakon was present at a ceremony in Oslo, where Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, the only negro ever to be so honored, received the 1950 Peace Prize for his work as U.N. mediator during the Palestine war.

Sweden's King Gustaf VI personally handed a 1949 prize of $30,000 for literature to William Faulkner, the self-effacing author-farmer of Oxford, Mis.

Two other Americans — Dr. Phillip S. Hench and Dr. Edward C. Kendall of the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.—shared prizes for medicine in the Stockholm ceremonies.

The 1950 prize winner for literature was Earl Russell, better known at Bertrand Russell, British philosopher, who receives $31,715.

Professor Cecil F. Powell, of Bristol University, was the winner of the $31,715 physics prize for his work on cosmic rays. Dr. Otto Diels and Professor Kurt Adler, were the two Germans who share the $31,715 chemistry prize.

'Santa' Falls Dead In Store

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP)—Santa Claus dropped dead in the midst of a busy day finding out what kids wanted for Christmas at the Johnston bookstore here. In private life he was Edmund J. Bissaillon, 63.

VOTE "YES"

DECEMBER 14

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A "YES" vote on the referendum to allow the sale of groceries after 6 p.m. on recognized business days will enable a neighborhood grocer and confectioner to give better service to the general public of Victoria who have been deprived from obtaining staple groceries after 6 p.m. in the past.

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BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

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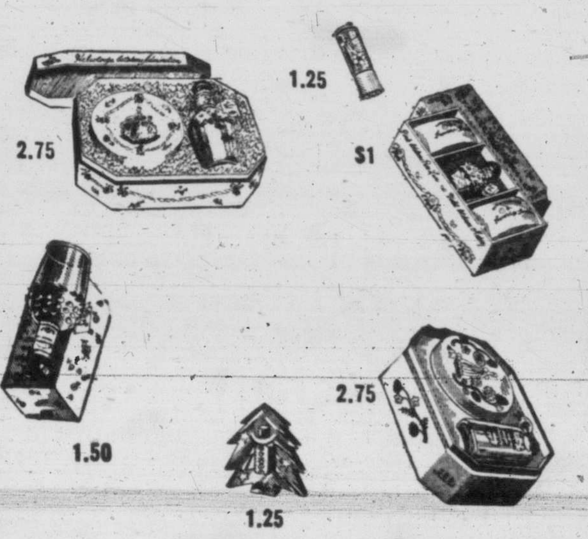

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Guns Bark Royal Salute At Beacon Hill Park

On the anniversary of the ascension of George VI to the throne 14 years ago the 119th A.A. Battery of the R.C.A. (permanent force) fired a 21-gun salute near the flagstaff in Beacon Hill Park today at noon. The battery of four 25-pounders from Work Point Barracks was in charge of Lieut. O. J. Lester, assisted by BSM. Ken Buxton. King George VI ascended the throne as a successor to his brothher, Edward the Eighth, who abdicated in order to marry his commoner sweetheart, Wallis Warfield Simpson.

What's Your Opinion?

By IRVING STRICKLAND AND DAVE STOCK

How would you like to spend Christmas this year?

Gary Whitten, Victoria High School student—"Why, at home with the rest of the family! There's seven of us and usually six or seven others come over for dinner. My grandpa and grandma come, and the whole family is there. One of my sisters usually plays the piano and the rest of us gather around and sing the carols. We wait until about three or four o'clock to open up the presents. And that's the way I like to spend Christmas. It's lots of fun."

Ralph Oakley, Lance Bombadier, R.C.A., Work Point—"Naturally I'd like to be home with the folks. But home for me is Halifax and that's a long way away. As it looks now, I'll be working right here in the orderly room. I'll have my Christmas dinner with friends in the garrison. Most of the married men get Christmas leave. I'll get New Year's. If I get five days, I'll likely go down to the States."

Pat Meneley, student nurse, Royal Jubilee Hospital—"Well, I'm going home to Saskatchewan this year and I couldn't wish for anything else. My home is at Maple Creek That's just about 60 miles from Medicine Hat, across the border. I've got four weeks' leave. I'll be able to skate and curl and do everything. Christmas Day, my mother and five younger brothers will all sit down around the table and we'll have a big Saskatchewan turkey. I haven't been home for two years. Am I looking forward to it!"

George Harvey, Esquimalt policeman—"I'd certainly like to spend Christmas at home with the wife and the kiddy. He's six this year. Christmas we like to have my mother and dad down; have a nice turkey dinner, and then go around and see all my relatives. I don't know for sure yet whether I'll have to work or not. I'll either have Christmas or New Year. I'd rather have Christmas."

Mrrs. Ethel Hopwood, housewife—"I'd like it if I could have all the old folks in for dinner. That is, if I could afford it. I'm going to have somebody. Last year we had in some people who had nobody belonging to them, and we all enjoyed ourselves. That's the way Christmas should be. When I lived in Edmonton during the war I used to have all the soldier boys and airmen in. They used to call me "Mom." Had as many as 12 staying some week-ends. Lots of them still send me cards from all parts of the world."

Tom Shea, patient at D.V.A. Hospital—"Outside of being with your own family, you couldn't beat this hospital. Simply couldn't be done. That's short and to the point, isn't it. I've spent Christmas in all kinds of places. Had one in Africa during the South African War. You couldn't ask for better treatment than they give you here. I never had so many presents at one time in all my life as I did last Christmas here. You should come to watch the performance this Christmas. It would be an eye-opener for you."

CAR DAMAGED

D. E. Waterbury, 923 Johnson Street, reported to police that his parked car was damaged by an unknown vehicle Sunday.

GIFT PARCELS OF FAGS FOR ARMED FORCES

Arrangements have been made with Canadian tobacco companies whereby cigarette gift parcels may be sent to members of the Armed Forces on duty overseas, Defence Minister Brooke Claxton announced today.

The gift plan, similar to one conducted during the Second World War, does not apply to personnel of the Special Force stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., or other parts of the United States.

For delivery to soldiers, sailors or airmen overseas, orders must be placed direct with tobacco companies. The price for 400 cigarettes is $2. Only parcels of 400 cigarettes are available.

May Shelve By-Election To Next Year

The Esquimalt provincial by-election may not be held until after the 1951 session of the Legislature which starts in February.

This was indicated at the Legislative Buildings today when Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb expressed the view there didn't appear to be sufficient time before the session to fill the vacancy in the House caused by the death of Commander Charles Beard.

"I haven't given it a great deal of thought," said the minister, who has just returned from the Dominion-Provincial conference at Ottawa. "But the session is only about six weeks away and there is a great deal to be done in the holding of a by-election."

Meanwhile the C.C.F. has nominated a candidate to contest the seat and the Liberal Association of the riding is planning an executive meeting, probably later this week, to discuss the question.

Conservative organization of Esquimalt has made no plans yet, and an official stated it was doubtful if anything would be done before the New Year.

FOR CO-ORDINATOR OF CIVIL DEFENCE

Mayor Recommends Appointment At Conference Of Municipalities

Mayor George said today he would recommend appointment of a civil defence co-ordinator.

The mayor met with reeves of the three municipalities at a conference to see whether all municipalities would be willing to go into an amalgamated civil defence set-up.

Area to be included in the zone was discussed as was the possibility of a zone administrator. The mayor said, speaking for himself, he would definitely recommend a co-ordinator.

He will also approve sending a representative to the ABC civil defence course at Camp Borden.

R. A. Pennington, deputy provincial secretary, advised the mayor by letter that three vacancies are available for courses to be held from March 12-31 and April 9-28, 1951. The ABE refers to atomic, bacteriological and chemical warfare.

Cancel Election Meeting Owing To Lack Of Interest

Lack of candidates and controversial issues at this year's civic election led to cancellation of the proposed open forum meeting which was to have been held tonight in the Lower Crystal Garden.

A. Stickney Harris, chairman of the civic affairs committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce sponsors of the meeting, said the members felt there would not be sufficient interest to get the public out.

He stated that last year when the forum held, there was a mayoralty contest and the much-publicized city manager issue at stake.

MEDIUM DAMAGE

Medium damage was done at 1.50 Sunday morning when cars driven by Ray Jones, 1441 Craigflower Road, and William L. Menzies, 1860 Greatford Place, met in collision at Fort and Douglas Streets, police reported.

HULL, Quebec (BUP)—Twenty-seven-year-old John Ralph Hooper, of Ottawa will go on trial in Hull, Que., tomorrow for the hand-towel death last March 29 of Gertrude Marion Davis in a Hull rooming house.

Young Sailors Crash Cars In Stolen Truck

Kenneth R. Kirton and Steve Dzeoba, young naval ratings, pleaded guilty in city police court today to taking a truck without the consent of the owner Saturday night. They were remanded to Wednesday for sentence.

According to police the two took a truck owned by Joseph Menard, crashed into three cars and wound up on the steps of the Quadra Street First United Church.

Police said both jumped out of the truck and ran away. Robert Curran, Royal Auto Sales, apprehended Dzeoba. Kirton later surrendered himself, according to evidence.

Parked cars were owned by H. Thompson, 1625 Quadra Street; Robert T. Hoard, 550 Beach Drive, and Thomas E. Lumsden, 2470 Central Avenue.

Ray Hulkin, 2855 Cedar Hill Road, and George McRae, 830 Queens Avenue, told police they saw the young men take the car and chased the truck to the scene of the accident.

Saanich Road Work Nears Completion

A $10,000 road-patching program proposed a month ago for arterial roads in Saanich is nearly completed, H. D. Dawson, municipal engineer, said today.

Two crews have been at work on the job, which has covered main and important secondary roads.

Mr. Dawson also reported completion of water-main replacements and improving of the water system on Tudor Avenue and Swan Street off Saanich Road.

Drill Door Holes To Rob Stores

Price's Key Shop, 847 Fort Street, and Clark's Upholstery, 549 Fort, were entered during the week-end by drilling holes in rear doors.

Nothing was taken from the upholstery store but $12 in bills and change. An attempt had been made to enter the Irene Carroll Corset Shop, 803 Fort. Work had been started on drilling a hole in the rear door.

Heavy damage was done to cars driven by Mrs. Winnifred M. Regan, Sidney, and George Henry Wheaton, 1217 Wharf Street, in a collision at Cook and Pandora Saturday night, police said.

WILL BE COMMITTED

Crown Completes Case In Novak Stabbing

With the last of Crown evidence produced, Anton A. Konkin in city police court today was remanded to tomorrow to be committed for trial on a knife-wounding charge.

He faces a charge of knife-stabbing John Novak with intent to maim on the morning of Oct. 10 in the Novak home kitchen at 2571 Cook Street.

Konkin, heavy-set and of Russian descent, sat through the conclusion of the hearing in his usual unperturbed manner.

Under cross-examination by defence counsel Gordon Cameron, Novak again repeated conversation relevant to money matters concerned in the building of a house.

He then went on to describe the bloody battle with Konkin after accused had pulled a knife.

Novak was asked if he struck Konkin and his reply was:

"Oh, my God no, I treated him like gentleman!"

IN COURT

VICTORIA

One year suspended sentence was given Richard C. Hamilton for the offence of indecently exposing himself. Magistrate H. C. Hall ordered Hamilton to post a $500 bond, to apply to be put on the interdict list and to report monthly to the probation officer.

Magistrate H. C. Hall dismissed a charge of theft of $49 against Lloyd Newton, young employee of an East Indian fuel firm. Dismissal came after Magistrate H. C. Hall pointed to the absence of vital books and records.

Involved in a collision Nov. 23 at Cook and Pembroke Streets in which $1,750 vehicle damage was done, Fred G. Hobbs, 725 Fifth Street, Sidney, was fined $35. He pleaded guilty to careless driving. His license was suspended.

James A. Jacobs, 1621 Quadra Street, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering with intent to commit theft on Sunday night. He was arrested by Constable John Burdyny after Horwood Bros. garage had been entered at 1725 Government Street. He was remanded to Thursday. A report will be obtained from the probation officer.

Fergus J. Corkery, 138 Ladysmith Street, pleaded not guilty to a charge of careless driving. He was remanded to Thursday.

For driving a car while wearing inadequate eye-glasses and making an illegal left-hand turn on Douglas Street at Yates, Alex D. Stuart, Keatings Cross Road, was fined $20.

David Arthur Francis, 1002 McKenzie Street, was fined $10 for not having his rear license plate illuminated.

OAK BAY

Dr. C. N. Westwood, 3085 Cadboro Bay Road, was remanded to Friday afternoon without plea on a charge of being intoxicated while in control of a car.

Veteran Shipbuilder Collapses On Street

Nathaniel Fraser, 159 Cook Street, retired veteran shipbuilder, collapsed on Douglas Street at 10.30 Sunday morning. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Employed for many years at Yarrows Ltd., Mr. Fraser during his lifetime had worked for major shipyards in Scotland and the United States. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Interview Mayhew In Efforts To Protect Victoria Employees

Personnel of the local offices of the Income Tax Department are reported to be "up in arms" over changes in administration resulting from establishment of Vancouver Island as a unit separate from the mainland in collection work.

Claims that reductions in staff are planned as well as regrading of employees are among the complaints being made.

The question has been taken up with Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew, it was learned from a reliable source, and the Civil Service Federation of Canada has taken steps to protect the employees.

It is understood also, the matter will be referred to the Canadian Legion in view of the fact that most of the employees affected are war veterans.

Heads of the offices had nothing to say on the condition when questioned today. It was "secret" office business, they stated.

It was claimed by lesser officials, though, that the offices were to undergo a "regrading board" routine with the prospect of some of the higher paid jobs being replaced by lower pay groups.

It was stated as well that personnel will have to write civil service examinations in the reorganization of the offices.

Permanent employees were included in the re-examination plan despite the fact that civil servants with "permanent" appointments ordinarily write tests only when seeking higher classifications.

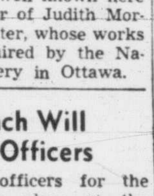
This is one of the main issues causing resentment among the tax workers.

ROUNDABOUT ACCIDENT

Considerable damage was done to the truck driven by William H. Ley, 1312 Pandora Avenue, at noon Sunday when he mounted the curbing at the Roundabout and finished up on the sidewalk on the north side of Gorge Road, police said.

Terms Reached Out Of Court In Damage Action

The $5,142 damage suit of George Noble Sinclair, 1792 Lee Avenue, well-known Victoria artist, against the Island U. Drive Ltd., and Allan MacMillan, was settled out of court today.



SINCLAIR

The damage action was the result of an automobile accident at the intersection of Fort and Cook Streets on Jan. 20, 1948. Sinclair, an arthritic, was seriously injured when he came into collision with a U-Drive car driven by MacMillan, an accountant.

George Gregory, counsel for Sinclair, announced that an agreement satisfactory to both parties was reached today a few moments before the trial was scheduled to open before Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane. Terms of the agreement were not announced.

The 36-year-old artist, an instructor in the elementary correspondence school of the Department of Education, in his civil suit claimed that he was permanently incapacitated as the result of his injuries.

Sinclair also claimed that he was offered a position with the Dominion Civil Service in the Indian Schohol at Alberni at an annual salary of $3,060 which he was unable to accept because of injuries.

The artist is well known here as the instructor of Judith Morgan, Indian painter, whose works have been acquired by the National Art Gallery in Ottawa.

Legion Branch Will Name New Officers

Election of officers for the year will take place at the monthly meeting of the Ad Astra Branch of the Canadian Legion tonight at 8 in the Britannia Branch.

Following have been nominated for office: President, Phil Oliver; first vice-president, M. P. Biggs; second vice-president, Miss L. Brinkworth; treasurer, Ellis Todd; executive, E. Wilkinson, Reg Pring, Alf Savage, Ernie Wheeler.

In conjunction with the Air Force Officers' Association and R.C.A.F. Association, Ad Astra will hold a cocktail party at the Monterey Dec. 16 from 5 to 7:30.

NO CUT SEEN IN BONUS FOR PENSIONERS

If the expanded old-age pension plan proposed at Ottawa last week is brought into being, B.C. undoubtedly will continue paying a $10 bonus to recipients over 70 years of age.

Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb said today he could not see how the bonus could be withdrawn.

He did not know if it would be extended to the 65 to 70 year group to which the pension will go if need is proven.

"That might be another story altogether," Mr. Anscomb said.

It is estimated the extended pension scheme, with the $10 bonus being paid to all recipients, would cost B.C. an additional $1,500,000 a year.

"That is a minimum estimate, too," the minister said.

Query Possession

The city was queried today on its intentions with regard to obtaining vacant possession of Macaulay Camp, emergency shelter project by J. McCulloch, regional property manager of Central Mortgage & Housing Corporation.

CHIROPRACTIC FOR HEALTH

THE COMMON COLD

Patients who have been under Chiropractic care for a time usually comment on the fact that, though other members of the family have had colds, they seemed to resist them very well.

Chiropractically, the common cold is a natural method the body has of eliminating waste materials which have accumulated over a period of time. To the Chiropractor, two or three mild colds a year should cause no particular concern.

When an individual suffers from too frequent colds, it is an indication that the general function of the body is below par. The organs and glands which usually remove waste products are apparently incapable of normal function. Nature, therefore, utilizes the respiratory tract as a sort of emergency exit. When the waste materials have been completely eliminated, the cold clears up.

The reason that so many people have colds at one particular time is usually because of a sudden change in temperature or environment, which tends to throw a strain on the system. If the body has required more nourishment in order to provide heat during cold weather, it is forced to adapt rapidly to a change in temperature. The excess food is no longer required, and becomes a waste product, and the organs of elimination must be capable of dealing with this "peak load". If they fail to do so, emergency channels must be used such as the respiratory system and sweat glands, and you have your cold symptoms.

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SHOPPING GUIDE

The Bigger The Better When It Comes To Dolls!

By PENNY SAVER

"It was a comical sight to watch," said the owner of a shop where crafts made by British Columbians are sold, "but a short time ago a toddler wandered into the shop along with her mother, to do a little browsing. Well, she wasn't in here many minutes before she spotted this raggedy-ann doll. From that moment on life was none too pleasant for mama."

From what I could gather, as Hudson related the story, the 29-inch doll was a few inches taller than the interested youngster, and it took a little manoeuvring on the part of the tike to even pick it up. But have it she would and by gadfrey, mom, was in the next day to buy the doll.

I hardly blamed the wee one for her enthusiasm. The stuffed dolls with their long woolen eyelashes, over large, innocent eyes, braids and the sweetest pug faces, take but a few minutes to have you wishing one were your own. There are three types from which to choose. A blonde or brown-haired doll and the all-black darling, complete dress and ribbons. Price on the bundles of joy, $6.95.

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Ever seen blanket slippers? They're the warmest, comfiest foot warmers this side of a lamb's wool slipper. Three and four thicknesses of wool is what you'll be padding around in and the top covering will reach to your ankle. Warm as toast, the slippers are trimmed with bright stitching, and sell for $2.50 a pair.

If it's gift suggestion you need then read on, MacDuff . . . for there are woolen crocheted gloves in colors of poppy red, navy, green and white, $2.25 . . . Leather belts from the plain type, $1.75, to the badge belts, featuring old regimental badges, $5.95 . . . leather, maple leaf lapel pins for your tweeds, 75 pennies . . . hand-painted calendars, 25 pennies . . . and a counter that features local pottery, including ash trays, figurines, good luck shoes, vases . . . ranging anywhere from 50 pennies to $1.95.

ThriftyNifty by Helen Robertson

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Navy League Wreath Placed On London Monument

A letter from Mrs. Godfrey Booth was read at the last meeting of Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. Booth described attending a ceremony at Trafalgar Square, London, Eng., on Trafalgar Day, when Capt. O. C. S. Robertson, R.C.N., laid a wreath on behalf of Canada and also on behalf of Navy League Chapter, its regent and members of Victoria. The wreath, of white chrysanthemums, was placed in a prominent position at one corner of Lord Nelson's monument.

A sum of $100 was voted for secondary education; $15 to Dean Mary Bollard Memorial Fund.

Reports showed knitted articles and nursery bags valued at $22.90 turned in to Municipal Chapter; flowers placed at Veterans' Hospital by Mrs. T. Davies, ex-service convener.

Music Students' Christmas Party

Parents and friends of music pupils of Miss Marie George were entertained recently at a Christmas party.

Musical selections, duets and solo numbers, were played by the following students: Jane Hyslop, Barry Lehman, Carol Kirkendale, Doris Mooney, Merla James, David Whitfield, Judy Demers, Bill Hyslop, Wayne Fullerton, Shannon Rabey, Linden Louis, Darline Irwin, Kathleen Roberts, Gertrude Durran.

A spirited sword dance was given by Kathleen Roberts, and Mrs. Ada Hume, on behalf of the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto, presented Gertrude Durran with a diploma from the conservatory.

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Melt butter in a heavy frying pan. Add onions, cover and cook slowly until tender, about 15 minutes. Blend in flour and cook until it becomes frothy, about one minute. Add hot milk gradually and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Season with salt and pepper. Yield: Six servings.

MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL

Pities Nagging Wife But Wants To Leave Her For Another Woman; Wife Threatens Action

Dear Mary Haworth: For several years I have been torn between pity for my nagging wife and devotion to the woman I love. My wife knows that I do not love her. Our sex relations ceased some time ago, as she became repulsive to me in many ways. We have no children; she is merely a housekeeper for me. We have no common interests, no companionship. I spend as little time as possible at home; stay out of town whenever I have a good excuse.

My wife knows of my love for the other woman and had consented to divorce me, when suddenly she changed her mind and decided to "punish" me for being a "bad, bad boy." She threatened damaging publicity if I tried to leave her for the other woman. That is typical of our relations. I am always "disciplined" if an incident displeases her. And if I don't jump at her beck and call I am being "mean" to her.

Mary Haworth

Gladys doesn't enjoy life with me. All she wants of me is security, but she is so self righteous that she thinks everything she does is for my benefit. She has decided, for me, that I cannot be happy with the other woman, so she (Gladys) is going to "protect" me. I can't even feel like a man, much less act like one, with such a noose around my neck.

PEACE OF MIND

Naturally I intend to protect Nora, the woman I love, but despite all the threats I can't give her up. She has so many fine qualities that just being around her makes a better man of me and has given me more ambition, whereas my wife contributes nothing to my personality and I contribute nothing to hers.

In your opinion, which course of action will give me more peace of mind?—loyalty to my marriage vows, just to keep face?— or a home with a person I adore, built on faith, love and congeniality? Nora desperately needs me, and I feel that my responsibilities lie in the direction of making her life complete. Please advise me.

J. B.

MAN'S VOICING SELF LOVE ONLY

Dear J. B.: Your letter articulates a tangle of emotional contradictions; but in essence your attitude is, "I love me." As I get the pitch of your quarrel with Gladys, it boils down to a childish unreasoning feeling of boredom with an old toy, chiefly because you've sighted a new attraction and set your heart on having it.

As if explaining why you feel entitled to freedom of choice between wife and paramour, you declare, "We have no children, no common interests, no companionship. I spend as little time as possible at home; stay out of town whenever I have a good excuse. She is merely a housekeeper for me. She knows I do not love her—"etc. As a start towards getting a saving slant on yourself, I advise you to go back over this sour comment. It says, in effect, that you rudely refuse to work at being married to Gladys, and yet blame her for the resultant breakdown in relationship.

As for having no children, that is a meaningless gripe, coming from you in the circumstances, unless accompanied by proof that you want paternity and she does not, and that she has will fully not, and that she ingness and ability to reproduce.

WIFE'S ATTITUDE SEEMS SENSIBLE

Talk of self righteousness that deludes the hypocrite! Your narrative reveals that you are quite guilty on this score, at least as much as you think your wife to be. For example: 1. You imply that you pity Gladys, as if to say that's why you're on the fence, but soon make clear that feel stymied by fear of scandal if you try to leave her. 2. You profess intent to "protect Nora from Glady's threats of injurious publicity, then weakly admit that you cannot renounce her.

In wrestling with your infantile self-centred nature, your wife is paying a stiff price for economic security. But in sticking to her bargain, poor as it is, she is showing more real sense than you display. Her resolution to keep what she has and make the best of it squares with the basic truth that trading partners in search of perfection doesn't change one's own shortcomings—which ordinarily are the "rub" in marriage.

Because you are sexually attracted to another woman, you won't lift a hand to help Gladys save your marriage, by revising it to a co-operative, if no longer romantic, relationship. And with that fickle, quitter type of temperament, you probably couldn't find happiness with Nora either. Tedium, temptations, disappointments and frustrations are an inescapable part of adult experience, whether one is married or single; and if you can't keep a steady pace, and be loyal to your partner in the midst of such trials, I think you'll always be a failure at conjugal teamwork, no matter how much "adoration" you feel to start.

M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of the Times.

Arthur Ash Speaks To Liberal Women

Arthur Ash, M.L.A., guest speaker at the Christmas meeting and party of Liberal Women's Forum, pointed out that women, here and abroad, are not active enough in politics.

Continuing, he said, "They have no one to blame but themselves." He also discussed resolutions made at the recent Vancouver meeting of the Liberal Party executive of British Columbia, their importance and future effect.

Mrs. T. C. Smith presided over the meeting and Mrs. Blair Reid reported on a successful bazaar held recently by the Forum.

Members of Ward 2 acted as hostesses, convened by Mrs. R. Williams and Mrs. J. L. Gates. Mrs. J. Hooper and Mrs. L. Murphy presided at the attractively decorated Christmas table.

A winter scene, created by Mrs. J. T. Jones, centred the tea table, completed by a circle of miniature Christmas trees.

Christmas was evident even in refreshments which included a Christmas cake. Carols were also sung.

Home nursing class, directed by Miss D. Deeble, R.N., Wednesday, at home of Mrs. F. Booth, 41 Millstream Road, Langford . . . Women's Auxiliary, St. Anglican Church, Esquimalt, Tuesday at 2.30, guild room. Associate members will be present for tea.

New Kiwanis Club

Drawing membership from the Hillside and North Quadra districts, a new Kiwanis club will be formed under the sponsorship of Oak Bay Kiwanis Club.

Announcement was made at a meeting of the Oak Bay Club by C. H. C. Mann, Pacific Northwest district lieutenant-governor.

Members who will join the new club will have a meeting Tuesday at 6.15 at the Pacific Club, when committees will be appointed and suggestions received for a name.

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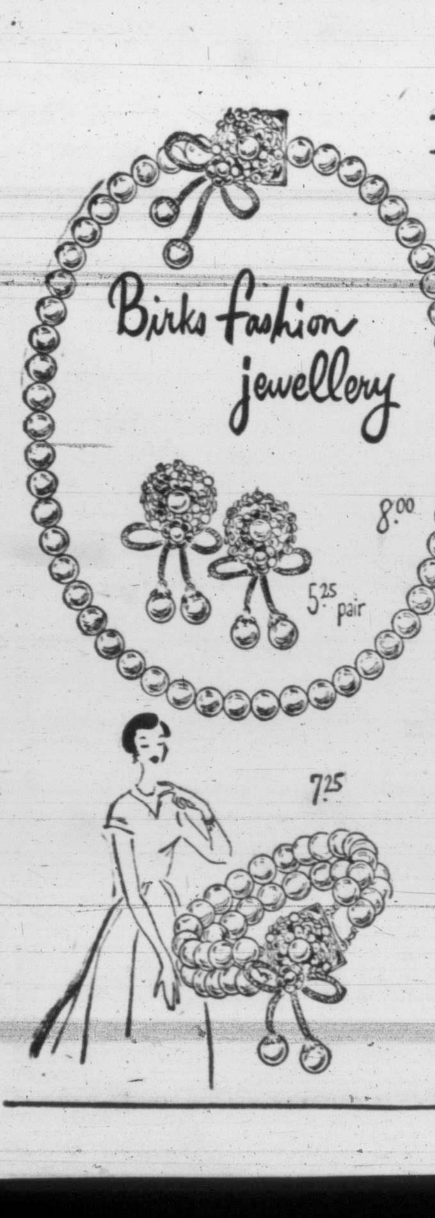

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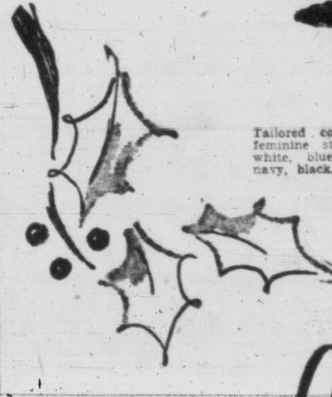

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Following their honeymoon, Dr. and Mrs. William Reginald Milburn are now living at Clive Apartment Hotel.

Young Doctor And Bride To Make Home In City

In a quiet wedding ceremony at home of Rev. Ian McEwen, West Vancouver, Phyllis Thelma Young, R.N., of Pasadena, Calif., was married to Dr. William Reginald Milburn.

The bride chose a wool jersey dress in pastel blue trimmed with white embroidery and rhinestones, with winter white accessories.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Bessie Young, who wore a navy blue dress with wine accessories and corsage bouquet of roses.

Gerald Milburn, Victoria, was best man.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. A. D. Young and the late Mr. Young, Cymric, Sask., is a graduate of Royal Jubilee Hospital. The groom, a graduate of University of Oregon Dental College, Portland, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Milburn, Victoria.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Leave Today For Indiana

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Warren with their three daughters, Sandy, Nancy and Judy, who have been visiting Mr. Warren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Warren, at their home on Dallas Road for the past two weeks, are leaving today for Valparaiso, Ind., where they will spend the next year and a half. The Warrens have been living in Kodiak, Alaska, where Mr. Warren was attached to United States Civil Aeronautical Administration. In the Indiana city he will take a course at engineering school.

Party For Daughters

A joint birthday party was held recently by Mrs. Arthur E. Freeman to honor her two small daughters, Karen Louise, aged four, and Brenda Jean, one year. Each daughter had a decorated cake.

Karen Freeman's guests were Joan Bayles, Kenneth and Keith Barry, Doreen Mairs, Elizabeth Fraser, Carol Grainger and Linda Freeman.

Brenda's little guests included Sandra Bonner, Susan Bayles, Daphne Trelawney, Terry Barry, Ian and Hugh Fraser, and Eileen Grainger. Each guest was accompanied by their parents.

Other guests included Mesdames W. J. Freeman, D. Freeman, and Misses Iva Woodward, Duncan, and Jean Fiege.

Birthdays Celebrated

The Transit Road home of Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Whitmore was the scene of a joint birthday party today to honor their two children, Joan, six years old today, and Brian, five tomorrow.

Miss Diane Watkin assisted the hostess in serving the little guests which included Sonja Warren, Barbara Warren, Patsy Reid, Julia Reid, Sandra Mills, Paddy Mills, Marsha Barry, Nan Dufour, Linda Clarkson, Valerie Watkin, Monica Fulton, Douglas Whitehead, Derek Melville, Gary Connolly, Stephen Dufour, George Dufour, Monty Fulton, and Barry Whitmore.

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Mrs. Joan Prestige left the city yesterday by plane for Montreal. From there Mrs. Prestige will sail for England for an indefinite stay.

Brigadier and Mrs. J. F. Preston are leaving for Trail tomorrow to attend the wedding of their son, Lieut. John Preston, R.C.E., to Miss Barbara Thomson, daughter of Mrs. H. Pengelly Thomson, which takes place there on Dec. 15. The Prestons expect to return to Victoria the beginning of next week.

To honor Mrs. W. R. Milburn, the former Phyllis Young, R.N., whose marriage to Dr. Milburn took place recently in Vancouver, her sister, Miss Marge Young, and Mrs. H. Milubrn, mother of the groom, were co-hostesses at a kitchen shower at the home of the latter, 2382 Heron Street. A corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds was presented to the honor guest. A box, decorated in Yuletide motif, was filled with gifts for Mrs. Milburn. For the occasion rooms were decorated with Christmas trimmings and bowls of bronze chrysanthemums. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table set with a bride's cake, and tall red candles in cut glass holders. Mrs. E. H. Street poured coffee and assisting in serving were Misses Norma Hagen and Marge Young. Other guests were Mesdames L. Patterson, E. Denby, V. Milburn, W. B. Milburn, C Jasper, S. Muirhead, V. Lea, Misses Joy Milburn, Muriel Huston, Joyce Denby, June Milburn and Marie Milburn.

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A pink and green decorated box topped with matching doll, comcealed many gifts for Miss Doreen Anderson, whose marriage takes place this month, when Mrs. E. Terrillon, Obed Avenue, entertained in her honor at a miscellaneous shower. On her arrival the honor guest was presented with a corsage bouquet of white and yellow chrysanthemums. Her mother, Mrs. F. Anderson, and Mrs. J. Reddell, mother of the groom-elect, also received chrysanthemum corsage bouquets. Refreshments were served. Guests were Mesdames M. Norby, D. Dovey, H. Cross, H. Clark, S. Evans, F. Slater, J. Hampton, V. Waterworth, E. Anderson, A. Palmer, J. King, A. Anderson, Misses W. Norby, J. Avanoff, L. Slater, L. Terrillon, E. Slater and B. Anderson.

L. A. Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., Tuesday, 7.45, auditorium, Blanshard Street . . . Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., Tuesday, 2, at headquarters.

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Diocesan Board Sends Many Gifts

Mrs. R. O. Taylor, diocesan president, was in the chair when the board of the British Columbian Diocesan Anglican Women's Auxiliary met in St. Barnabas' Hall. Opening prayers were taken by Miss W. E. Seymour and Scripture reading by Mrs. W. J. McGill; Mrs. W. Barton welcomed members on behalf of St. Barnabas' Women's Auxiliary.

A visit to branches at Quamichan, Nanaimo and Parksville was described by Mrs. E. J. Harris, Little Helpers secretary; treasurer Mrs. S. G. Wilson reported receipts of $1,093.32; a gift of $200 was voted to the Anglican Theological College, Vancouver.

Dorcas secretary, Mrs. B. P. Harding, announced bales of Christmas gifts and clothing sent to Kingcome Inlet and Vanderhoof and Wells, B.C., and bales of used clothing to Prince Albert, Regina and Peace River.

St. Michael's Residential School, Alert Bay, received 174 toys, and 50 pounds of candy was sent to the Indian Day School there, also 50 hymn books to Lake Cowichan Sunday School.

Rev. Eric Munn spoke at noon followed by a luncheon served in the hall.

Grange Group Sponsors Tea

A tea and sale of work was held recently at the home of Cmdr. and Mrs. M. Gray, Jasmine Avenue, under auspices of the newly-formed Grange Group of St. Columbia Church, Strawberry Vale. Sum of $86 was realized.

Guests were welcomed by Mrs. Gray and Mrs. G. S. Bagot; Mrs. H. Savage was at the door.

Convener of tea arrangements was Mrs. R. Cradock, assisted by Mesdames R. Walker, J. Rodd, R. Manserg, P. H. Tucker and W. Maxwell, Mrs. N. J. Godkin and Mrs. A. G. Piddington presided at the tea table which was decorated with red candles and Christmas decorations.

Needlework stall was in charge of Mesdames J. K. Frost, F. W. Rich and T. Wheildon. A musical program was presented by Mrs. R. Manserg, accompanied by Mrs. E. Sommers.

Men In Charge Of Country Fair

Men of Esquimalt P.-T.A. are very busy this month organizing the Country Fair and also arranging a monthly meeting on Tuesday at 8 at Lampson Street School. Committee for this meeting is headed by vice-president R. Copely, the program being kept a secret.

Members will turn in names of their children for a special prize.

Assisted by women members of the association the men have now completed plans for the Country Fair next Friday evening from 7.30 to 11.

Decorations, in the rural motif, have been planned, with stalls of home cooking, candy, novelties, toys, white elephant. There will also be movies for the children, games, and a snack bar for hot dogs, doughnuts and coffee.

General convener is W. Putt and he and his committee have had many work parties that have included painting, doll dressing, candy making and sewing.

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A Wedding In St. John's

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Francis Hankin were married recently at St. John's Anglican Church. The bride is the former Miss Lottie Ada Shirley, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Holmes, Fernwood Road, and the groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hankin, Metchosin.—(Photo by Leonard Holmes)

Couple Motor South On Honeymoon In California

On a honeymoon motor trip to California are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott Kerr who repeated their marriage vows before Canon George Biddle at St. John's Anglican Church Saturday evening.

The bride is the former Helen Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lawson, Powell River, B.C., and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kerr, 2281 Windsor Road.

Pastel shaded seasonal flowers were a lovely contrast for the bridal satin gown worn by the fair-haired bride as she entered the church on the arm of her father. The wedding dress was fashioned with dainty lace yoke, long slim sleeves that ended in points over her hands, tiny satin covered buttons to form back closing on the bodice, and full skirt which ended in a train. A fingertip-veil was caught to her head in a Juliet cap of lace studded with pearls. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Off-the-shoulder gowns of aqua green velvet were worn by bridesmaids Misses Eleanor Lawson, sister of the bride, and Miss Donna Kerr, sister of the groom. Their floor-length gowns were complemented with matching velvet mitts and tiny Juliet caps. They carried bouquets of red roses and white carnations.

The groom chose William J. Taylor as best man and Pat Frith and Richard Lawson as ushers.

"Oh Perfect Love" was sung by Douglas Park while the newlyweds signed the register.

At a reception held at the Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club, the bride's table was set with crystal swans filled with white chrysanthemums, a four-tier cake encircled with pink tulle and candelabra at either ends of the lace-covered table. H. S. Beckton proposed the toast to the bride.

For traveling, the bride changed to a foam green gabardine tailleur smartened with vogueish head hugging matching velvet hat and velvet accessories. She completed her ensemble with a brown squirrel coat.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr will make their home at Fowler Mansions.

Santa Claus Visits Christmas Party

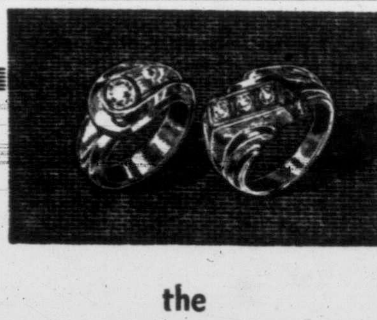
More than 185 mothers and their children attended the Children's Christmas tree sponsored by Junior Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday afternoon. A sum of $85 was realized.

Moving pictures, "Christmas Dream" and "Night Before Christmas" and numbers by young dancers from the Wynne Shaw School were included on the program.

Table decorations were in the Christmas theme with big snow men, gay red and green hats, and miniature Christmas candles in candy holders for place cards.

Santa Claus visited the party and presented a gift to each child.

Card party, Langford Community Hall, Thursday at 8. Christmas tree and gifts.



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Plan To Establish Observation Nursery School, To Educate Public

At the annual meeting, Nursery School Association of Victoria, W. Hooson, president, Co-operative Nursery School Organization, stated that ultimate aim of their organization is to establish an observation nursery school, so people may have an opportunity to learn what nursery schools mean in a community.

He also gave an account of formation of their group, and of experiences in this new venture where parents are operating their own school.

Miss Ethel M. Bruce, who has recently returned from Europe, spoke briefly on nursery schools she had seen in Oslo, where 26 are in operation, and parents are encouraged to visit and observe at any time, and in Copenhagen.

Mrs. A. R. Peers, retiring president of the Nursery School Association, gave a report on the activities during the year, and thanked Mrs. A. J. Whitfield for her work as recording secretary, and she also thanked Dr. Laura Holland for help on the advisory committee.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by Miss E. Girvin and Miss E. Konkin.

Mrs. Douglas E. Smith, chairman of the nominations committee, reported the following elected to the executive: Mesdames H. A. Beckwith, F. E. H. Cox, C. J. Holms, A. R. Peers, G. H. Pottinger, A. J. Tullis, Dr. Henrietta Anderson, Misses V. E. Ashdown, E. Konkin, C. MacNab.

Donations—At recent meeting of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild a donation of $400 to church warden was added to a previous amount of $300. Sunday school work will receive a $25 donation. Miss K. Jaffray presided. A film was shown, "Mexican Havienda," under direction of Rev. J. J. Van Der Leest. Leslie Bell Singers were also heard.

SCROLL REACHES WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP)—A friendship scroll from British Girl Guides and Brownies arrived in Winnipeg today by air. Next Tuesday it will be flown to Brandon, Man., and cities farther west.

The hand-painted scroll was made by Guides in the Isle of Wight and includes a message of friendship for guides in Canada. Similar scrolls have been sent to 28 countries.

Party Plans—It was decided a Christmas party will be held in Nel Edwards Club Rooms, Dec. 29, and plans for the affair were discussed, when the Xi Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, met recently at home of Miss Francis James. The president was in the chair. In charge of cultural program was Miss Audrey Langley assisted by Misses Olive Kirchin, Peggy Joyce, Rose Lee and Mickie Micklebürgh. Next meeting will be held Dec. 21, at home of Miss Rose Lee.

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GOODNESS, YOU'RE EARLY?

With powdered nose I sit & rock,
And read a book & watch the clock,
And pace the room & try to sew,
And listen for a step I know.
It's seven-thirty, then it's eight . . .
I tune the radio & wait
Until I hear the door knob turn
And don my proper unconcern.

—Barbara Jones.

There's NO NEED TO RUSH down to our Warehouse for one of these ever-lovin' studio lounges (floral wine or green damask), as we've got stacks of 'em. If, however, U need to put someone up this Christmas, then one of these R the clear McCoy. It wasn't how much?? but how low we could tag 'em, so $57 is all U need, with $19 for the present. On display in the "Put-U-Up" Dept. on the 3rd floor (sleeps 2). What is it that makes the world go 'round . . . ?

PUZZLE

If you can be away when U are near,
And still be near when U are far away;
Be silent when I long to hear U speak
And have me listen when I would not hear;
If you can make me cry when I would laugh
And have me laughing when I'd rather cry,
If you can regulate my every mood
Then isn't there some lovely reason why?

—Edna Martin.

I'd say they were nuts about one another. You'll be the same about this new model "Windsor" Chesterfield Set. It has a sort of stately dignity, yet it is an all-round family suite covered in a lovely shade of green frieze, for ever-lasting beauty. See it . . . won't you? It's in our No. 1 spot right at the head of the Stairs.

Nite letter . . .

FAITHFULLY YOURS

The stars are little pebbles flung,
Upon a trackless beach;
The nite is still, the moon is young,
I search for you . . . I reach,
Across the purple infinite,
Across the soundless sea;
Keeping my lonely beacon lit,
To guide you home to me.

—Alma Gray.

Has "she" been after you to buy her a Tri Lite??? we thot so . . . we are all set to fix up this dim situation with a gorgeous lamp for only $12 . . . all bulbs (worth a buck & a half) thrown in. The only catch . . . U gotta come & get it, take it away in your car for 12 smackers.

Yes it is . . .

FIRST LOVE

Above the stars hung clear & low,
And a young moon sailed the nite's dark sea.
I hid my hands that U might not know
The thing your nearness did to me.
I could not speak for fear I'd cry,
So like to pain was my delight.
I was so still . . . all I could hear
Was my heart's wild, unsteady beat,
When your arms reached out & drew me near,
And your mouth was warm & young & sweet.

Tonite I am in love again with someone new,
Isn't it strange that I should be remembering you . . .?

Well . . . I guess that's the way it is sometimes . . . I wouldn't know. ?? I do know it's a ruddy crime to be squeezing plugs in here, amidst all this lovely sentiment, so maybe I won't tell U much about these Duncan Phyfe tables except to say they are made by "The Holland House Co." & for down-right Quality-Value, we think the best ever. See if YOU do???

Remember on winter evenings . . . popping corn . . . roasting apples . . . drinking tangy cider . . .

A WINTER EVENING

I love a winter evening
With shades drawn tight,
A fireside chat & nearness
Housed closely in from nite.

I love a winter evening,
Alone where embers glow
While the wind outside
Whistles softly . . . ooh!

I love a winter evening,
Shadows dance to a phantom band,
Memories tiptoe noiselessly
Across the floor & HOLD MY HAND.

Guess that's it for now . . . come see us sometime. Bye.

Maurice, "Barley" & Bruce.

HUMBER'S

Back of the new Post Office . . . 3 floors of furniture bargains.

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YOUR BABY AND MINE

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

It is tiresome to say the same things over and over, but there are always mothers who, despite my pleas, fail to include any information about their babies.

Then, it is nothing short of miraculous if a situation can be corrected when all that is known is what the situation is!

Here is a perfect illustration of what I am trying to say. "We have a problem," writes Mrs. P. K. "We have a twenty-months-old boy and he is a very poor sleeper. He goes to bed at 9.30 at night and gets up at 8 in the morning. Do you think he gets enough sleep?

"He wakens three or more times each night. What do you think I could do about this? I think he should sleep all night. He takes a nap from one to three o'clock every day and is a good eater. He drinks plenty of milk and is fat. Please answer my letter soon."

The letter contains no address and so "prompt" answering is impossible. It has to wait its turn in the column. The boy gets about 12½ hours of sleep which isn't too bad, though it could be better.

He goes to sleep too late at night and gets up later than most children in the morning. Because he stays up late he is subject to the excitement that takes place in the evening, visits with adults, confusion and noise if there are other children, adult forms of recreation, all of which have an influence on his sleep when he gets to bed.

He would sleep better were he in bed as early as 7 o'clock and woke at the same hour in the morning. Then his nap could come from 12.30 to 2 or 2.30.

You did not tell me what the child ate and while he might drink lots of milk and be fat, he still might lack the proper foods for good nourishment. You did not mention his weight so I must guess that your estimate of his fatness is correct.

The best I can do, then, is to suggest that the next time you write you give me these essential bits of information and include a self-addressed, 3-cent stamped envelope so that I may be able to send you helpful information by leaflet. I would like so much to help, but you must give me facts upon which to base my opinions.

Our leaflet No.77 "Is There A Santa?" is timely and may help you. Obtain it by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Myrtle Meyer Eldred with your request in care of this newspaper.

Veterans' Concert At Aged Men's Home

Army, Navy, and Air Force Veterans in Canada staged their annual concert for residents at the Aged Men's Home with the following contributing to the program: Art Stringer, Tom Crabbe, Mrs. Bert Noel, George Farmer, Reg Stofer, Cecil Boulter, Bill Henderson and his band. Tom Obee, George Pinnington, and Stan James provided comedy relief.

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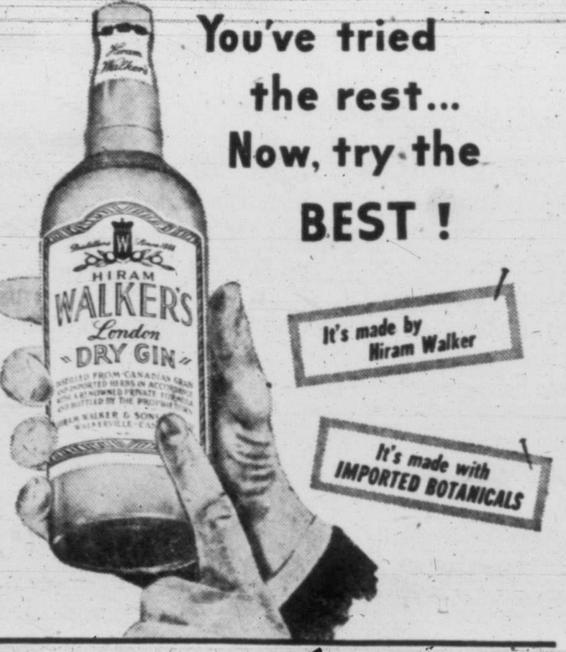

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13 LUCKY GUYS

by FRANK R. ADAMS

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THE STORY: Sgt. Eddie Engstrom's squad is wiped out in action and they find themselves unseen in Westwaygo, Mich., the home town of all but Joe. The only living creature who can see them is Eddie's dog, Duke. But they can and Eddie saw the swellest girl he'd ever seen—Margie Lou, who drives a bus. Maybe that's why Eddie has gone to the bus terminal alone.

XVII

Eddie watched a dozen motor coaches come in, load and depart. But Old Ironsides did not show up. Maybe it had been in a wreck, or sold down the river to become a school bus. He would be disappointed if anything had happened to it. He felt almost as if he owned the old crate.

Under the instrument panel was where he had always hidden that lucky coin, so he would never give it to a passenger by mistake when making change. It was about the size of a quarter and had a square hole in the middle—a Chinese coin, somebody had told him. Every day, when he first sat down in the driver's seat, he hooked it on a bent nail way under where no one would see it. He always put it back in his pocket when he was relieved. All but once—on that last trip when he had been so excited about leaving for the Army that he's forgotten the darned thing.

Eddie had just about given up hope when an old rattling, snorting monster came lumbering around the corner under the passenger landing shed and stopped at the door of the waiting room.

TO THE BOATWORKS

"Boatworks bus!" shouted the starter. "Leaving right away."

It was Eddie's bus. And Eddie's girl was driving it. Perhaps it was stretching the truth a little for Eddie to call Margie Lou his girl. But, she was the nearest thing to it that he had ever had. She was the first person toward whom he had felt a protective tenderness. In his previous encounters with young women it had been a case of "everybody for himself." But Margie Lou was different. He would gladly have laid down his life for her, if he'd had one left.

Margie Lou didn't at the moment look like anybody who would launch even a couple of rowboats. She was in a grey-green uniform coat which was too large for her in several places and a cap which came down too far over her braids. The entire outfit had been inherited from a woman driver who had been fired the week before.

Eddie climbed aboard. "I see you're feeling all right now," he said.

Naturally Margie Lou did not reply, not having heard him.

The starter was marshaling passengers aboard as fast as possible. There was another bus coming up behind. "You're late," he told Margie Lou.

"Traffic jam at Sixth and Western," she said. "Workmen's cars coming off shift tangled with a funeral."

"Oh." The starter raised his voice. "Back in the bus, folks. Plenty of room in the rear. Hey, you in front, you can't stand so close to the driver."

Eddie started to apologize but realized in a moment that the remark was not directed at him.

MAX WAS THERE

The very definately earthly body of Max Lengel was right behind Margie Lou's seat. Eddie hadn't seen him get on.

"I won't bother her," said Max with a hearty good nature. "She's a friend of mine."

The starter was a big man, too, and his supper wasn't agreeing with him. "Get back in the bus like I told you."

"Don't get him angry," Margie Lou cautioned Max pleadingly. "Sometimes he gets awful tough."

The starter was on the step. The passengers who were waiting to get aboard grouped behind him patiently.

Margie Lou's advice to Max Lengel did not have the effect she intended. Max got the idea she admired the prowess of the husky bus loader. He couldn't bear to have one of his women friends admire anyone else.

So when the man shoved him Max shoved back hard enough to push him off the step. Unluckily for Max the starter had a grip on his coat lapels and dragged Max right with him when he fell.

They rolled around on the concrete platform for a while, neither side scoring a touchdown. When they finally got to their feet the majority of the waiting passengers had climbed aboard and now there wasn't room for an emaciated sardine to squeeze in anywhere.

"Take it away!" shouted the starter with what breath he had left.

Max made a tentative attempt to get a foothold somewhere on the bus but the folding door blocked him off. He compromised. "See you later baby," he yelled at Margie Lou. "I'll bring you this big palooka's teeth to wear for a bracelet and some of his hair for—" It was about here that the starter hit Max for luck. The argument continued.

FINDS HIS COIN

Eddie had both an itching desire to get his hands on the wheel and an unfamiliar feeling of awe and tenderness toward the girl who was handling it. He did some back-seat driving, but Margie Lou naturally got no benefit from his muttered advice. Then, on a stretch of unobstructed highway, Eddie squatted down and peered under the instrument panel.

Contrary to his expectations, there was the coin with the hole in it, hooked over the crooked nail.

With a murmered thanks to Lady Luck, he reached for it. Nothing doing. He'd forgotten he couldn't pick up anything.

While he was absorbed in his baffled indignation, Margie Lou took her right off the wheel, reached forward under the instrument panel. When her hand come out the coin lay in the palm.

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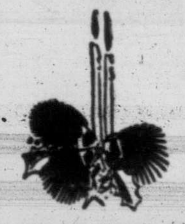
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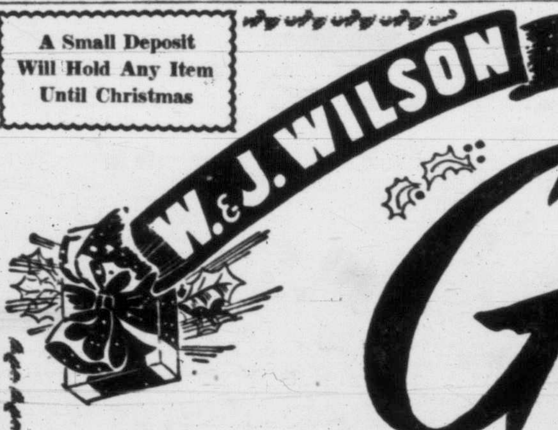

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Industrial Design Competition

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St. John Ambulance

St. John Ambulance Brigade No. 65, Thursday at 8.

Victoria Nursing Division No. 61, Christmas party, tonight at 8. Last meeting until after the New Year.

Nursing Division No. 148, Denton Holmes, Christmas party, Wednesday at 8.

Oak Bay Nursig Division No 176, Tuesday at 8.

A. J. Dallain Nursing Division No. 210, Friday at the home of Miss Buswell, 821 Broughton Street, at 8.

Victoria Cadet Nursing Division No. 61c, tonight at 6.30.

Denton Holmes Cadet Nursing Division No. 148, Tuesday at 6.30.

Oak Bay Cadet Nursing Division No. 176c, Friday at 3.45.

Industrial first aid class, Wednesday at 7.30. Alex. Jarvie, instructor.

Home nursing class, Thursday at 7.30.

St. John Auxiliary will entertain members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and Nursing Divisions at a social evening Saturday, Dec. 16, at headquarters at 8.

Queen Mary's carpet is fully insured for $100,000 and is well guarded while ou tour across Canada.

Choral Group Guests

The Georgian Choristers, a group of well-known singers, will be a highlight of a concert to be presented by the Belmont United Choir Tuesday evening at 8, in the new hall. Proceeds of the program will be used to buy new music for the Belmont choir.

P.-T.A. NEWS

James Bay—Following a brief business meeting there will be Christmas entertainment for the James Bay P.-T.A. in South Park School Tuesday at 8.

Colwood—A musical program, presented by Miss. Frewing and pupils of Belmont High School will precede Colwood P.-T.A. meeting tonight at 8.

James Douglas — Male members of Sir James Douglas P.-T.A. were in charge of the recent meeting with Harold Litfield, vice-president, in the chair. Following the meeting games were played, directed by W. D. Reid, and square dancing, directed by Miss Sheila Stanley. A matinee of the Christmas concert will be shown Tuesday, and an evening performance Wednesday.

CLUBWOMEN'S NEWS

Officers Named—Meeting of Fairfield United Church Women's Association was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. S. Hunter presiding. Devotional was led by Mrs. J. J. Williams; Mrs. G. G. Green presented the report of the nominating committee for officers during the year 1951. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. A. S. Hunter; first vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Matcham; second, Mrs. D. McNevan; third, Mrs. W. Heath; recording secretary, Mrs. E. Hill; corresponding, Mrs. J. H. Hedley; treasurer, Miss M. Bradshaw. It was decided to hold a Burns concert on Jan. 24, when a Scottish program will be presented by the Y.W.C.A. Choral Choir under leadership of Mrs. R. Woods. Refreshments were served by Mesdames W. R. Williams and W. Allan.

Annual Meeting—Mrs. J. T. Jones presided at the annual meeting of Esquimalt Women's Institute and was re-elected president for the coming year. Other officers are Mrs. J. McDuff, vice-president; Mrs. G. A. Jennings, secretary, and Mrs. I. Spiers, treasurer. Plans for Christmas cheer are in charge of the sick convener, Mrs. J. Potts; plans for a Christmas party to be convened by Mrs. Spiers. Next social meeting will be held on Dec. 21 at 2, in St. Paul's parish hall.

Linen Supply—Articles including four dozen sheets, ten bed spreads and eight dozen pillow slips, with additional linen to be supplied before the end of the year, have been presented to the Y.M.C.A., reported the house committee at a recent meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y.M.C.A. Mention was also made of the room which had been completey refurnished during the year. Mrs. J. Davidson, presided. The report of the nomination committee was accepted and the next social meeting date set for January 4 at the home of Mrs. W. Walker, Weald Road.

Ex-Servive Women Plan Hampers, Gifts

Plans for Christmas hampers, gifts for women veterans in hospital and patients in the TB hospital were made at a meeting of Ex-service Women's Branch, No. 182, B.E.S.L.

Miss Doris Hooper presided and Mrs. P. Newman was named convener of the Christmas party for members and their families on Dec. 18. Number of children and their ages are to be telephoned to Miss Hooper.

Mrs. G. Jennings reported a sum of $193.20 made at the bazaar; Mrs. M. Ersk and Mrs. F. Sanders reported for the nominations committee and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. P. Newman; vice-president, Mrs. G. A. Jennings; secretary, Miss P. Mylria; treasurer, Mrs. A. Rowe; membership, Mrs. J. Akkerman; executive members, Miss Doris Hooper, Mesdames L. McGill, E. Corpp, B. Atkins, D. Smith and I. Rant.

Plans were also discussed for a party on Jan. 4, convened by Mesdames N. Barton and D. Walker.

H. M. Queen Mary stipulated that any money her gros point carpet might earn should go to Britain to help its dollar shortage.

Cordova Bay Bazaar Realizes $250

Mrs. J. Earle, diocesan candidate secretary, introduced by Mrs. C. B. Price, officially opened the successful bazaar at St. David's-By-The-Sea, Cordova Bay, sponsored by the Woman's Guild, last Wednesday.

A sum of $250 was realized.

Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. J. Wyper, assisted by Mesdames F. Pottage, N. Andrews, M. Fairclough and R. Sinkinson. Mrs. J. Wilmot presided at the urns and Mrs. A. Miller sold tea tickets. Stalls were convened as follows: Mesdames C. Hill and H. Savage, needlework; Miss F. O. Lewis and Mrs. E. McWean, superfluities; Mesdames H. Stevenson and W. Ronald, cooking and produce; Mesdames G. Rickard and J. Hutton, candy; Mesdames A. Taylor, N. Westwood and C. W. Keyworth, toys and the Christmas tree; Mrs. B. Dyer, novelties and stationery; Mesdames K. R. Genn and J. Reynolds, contests.

Realizes $300

The sum of $300 was realized at a successful tea and Christmas bazaar held by St. Mark's Women's Auxiliary and Guild recently. For the occasion the parish hall was decorated and stalls of fancy work, aprons, home cooking and toys were exhibited for sale.

CLUB CALENDAR

Island Temple, No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Tuesday at 8, K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street. Nomination and election of officers. . . . Pro Patria Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 31, B.E.S.L., general meeting, club rooms, Tuesday at 7.30. Election of officers. . . , Victoria Chapter, Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia, Tuesday at 8, Royal Jubilee Hospital. Short business session, musical program, students of St. Joseph's and Royal Jubilee Hospitals assisting.

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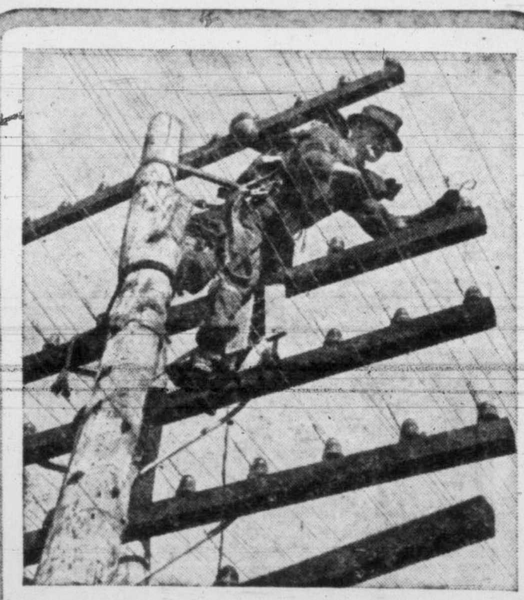

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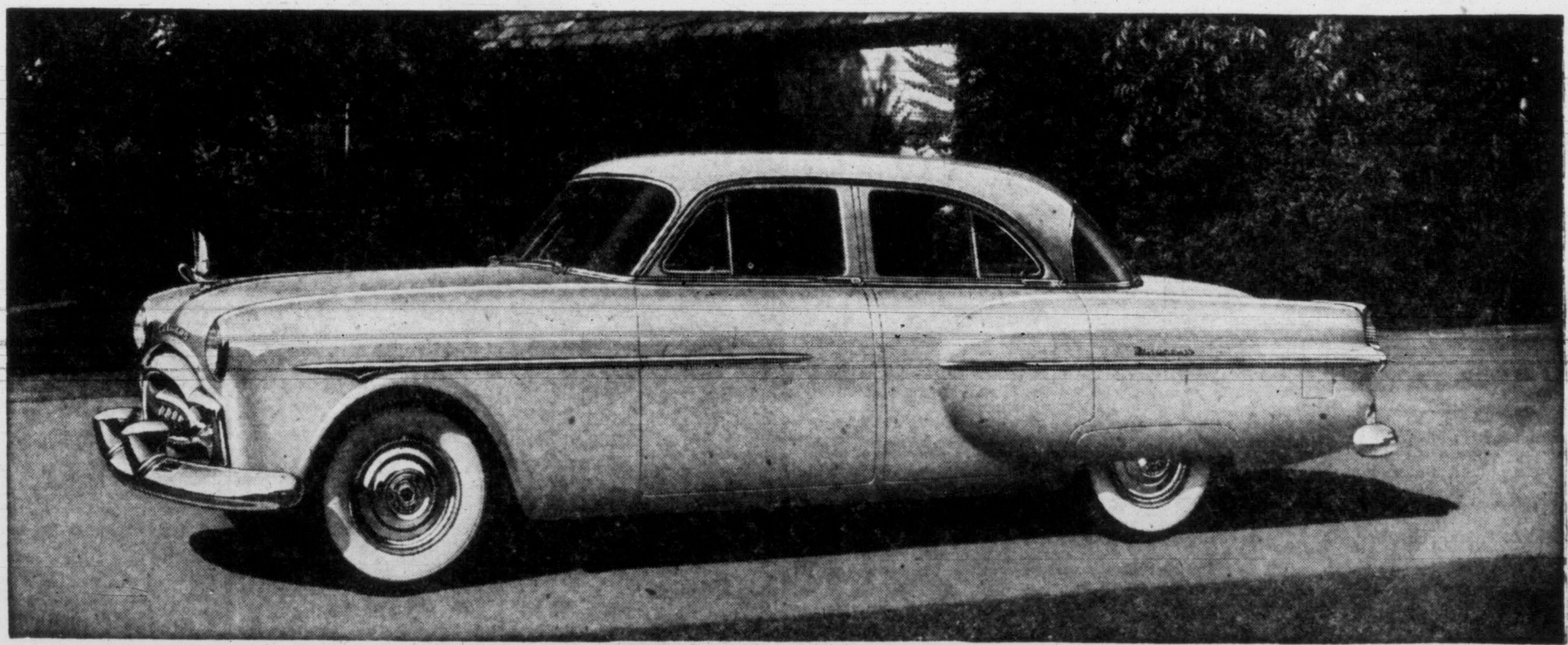

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QUATSINO STRIKE

Rich Iron Deposits Found On Island

By HARRY YOUNG, Times Business Editor

A deposit of iron ore that may prove to be of major importance is being tested in the north of Vancouver Island. The drilling tests are being made at Quatsino, by the Quatsino Copper-Gold Mines Ltd. of Vancouver, and an official of the company told me this week-end that the samples looked "awfully interesting."

The diamond drilling has reached a depth of 80 to 100 feet, and although this is only testing the outcrop, the estimate is that it may hold over 100,000 tons of ore. The real extent of the deposit will not be known until further drilling equipment is available to go down to 1,000 feet.

Young

Some weeks ago a representative grab sample from a number of cuts showed a high grade megnetite iron ore, averaging 67.80 per cent iron, 0.01 per cent sulphur and 0.025 per cent phosphorous.

It was following this that drilling operations were undertaken, and the report this week-end is that the optimism of consulting engineer Henry Hill, of Vancouver, is being justified.

The outcrop near the present drilling location runs about 1,000 feet by 200 feet, and according to Mr. Hill, the iron is well over commercial grade. The first hole penetrated 20 feet of solid iron ore, and then had to stop owing to shortage of power.

The second hole at the same location is showing up well to its present depth of just over 100 feet. Drilling will continue as long as the weather permits, but already there is about three feet of snow lying on the ground.

The Quatsino company has 42 crown granted claims adjoining the property of Coast Copper Co. on the west side of Elk River, near Quatsino, and it is here that the iron deposits are being tested.

The value of the find may be that the deposits are convenient to tidal water, and might be of great value to the prospective steel industry in Vancouver.

There is also a United States interest in the tests, because Japan requires to import 3,000,000 tons of iron ore every year.

Ore from Quatsino is less than eight miles from tidal water and the location would make its ore deposits easy to handle for transhipment to Japan.

The Quatsino Copper-Gold Mines Ltd., was incorporated in 1928. In addition to its property at Quatsino it has an 85 per cent interest in 14 claims along Duck Creek in the Cariboo.

Creamery Plans Plant Addition

Constructional expansion on the property of Northwestern Creamery Ltd. at 1015 Yates Street is expected to start at the beginning of the year.

Plans being prepared by architest Frank W. Nicolls call for a two-story building which will adjoin the present property to the eastward on Yates. The ground floor will be taken up by store and plant with company offices on the upper floor.

The proposed building will follow the current modernistic trend, presenting a colorful facade.

The walls will be of grey pumice blocks with large plate windows, accentuated by the newest alsynite and aluminum.

Mr. Norton, Northwestern Creamery manager, stated that pasteurization and refrigeration machinery intended for installation in the new building is on order.

Govt. Backs Gas Turbine Research

OTTAWA (CP)—The mines department has signed an agreement to conduct joint research with McGill University aimed at development of an efficient coal-burning gas turbine locomotive, it was announced Sunday.

Working under Professor Donald Mordell, director of McGill's gas dynamics laboratory, a team of research workers will design, build and test an experimental stationary engine in the McGill laboratory.

The engine will incorporate a recent invention by Professor Mordell which has shown promising possibilities in the field of coal-fired gas turbines, the announcement said.

"Such a locomotive," it added, "would prove an economic boon to Canadian railways and coal mines alike."

DIVIDEND NEWS

Bigger Payment By Int. Metals

Canadian Bakeries, 25 cents, payable Jan. 16; record Dec. 30; xd. Dec. 28.

Canada Iron Foundries, 30 cents, payable Jan. 15; record Dec. 30; xd. Dec. 28.

International Metal Industries, "A" shares 65 cents, plus 35 cents; preferred $1.12½; payable Jan. 2; record Dec. 15; xd. Dec. 14.

Steel of Canada, common, 20 cents plus 30 cents extra; preferred, 20 cents plus 30 cents; payable Feb. 1; record Jan. 8, xd. Jan. 5.

100-Year-Old Oregonian Sold To East

NEW YORK (AP)—The 100-year-old Portland Oregonian, known as "The Great Newspaper of the West," was purchased Sunday by publisher Samuel I. Newhouse for a sum in excess of $5,000,000.

A joint statement announcing the sale was made by Newhouse and E. B. MacNaughton of Portland, president of the paper.

The 5,000-watt radio station, KGW, a national broadcasting company affiliate owned by the Oregonian, is not involved in the sale.

Newhouse owns a number of other newspapers. They are the Newark (N.J.) Star Ledger, Long Island Daily Press, Long Island Star Journal, The Harrisburg (Pa.) Patriot News, the Syracuse (N.Y.) Herald-Journal and Post Standard, and the Staten Island (N.Y.) Advance.

The statement said the paper was sold "because the present owners of the Oregonian found that the deaths of various members of the family groups tended to develop a pattern of ownership consisting of widely scattered holdings."

The Oregonian began its second century of publication this month. It was established as a weekly Dec. 4, 1850, became a daily Feb. 4, 1861, and added a Sunday edition Dec. 4, 1881.

Canadian-Built Bus Arrives For Island Service

First of three new Canadian-built buses for service on Vancouver Island Coach Lines' up-island run arrived in Victoria today.

The big, 37-passenger vehicle, trade named Courier 85, was unloaded at E. & N. Railway yard at 9.30.

Built by Motor Coach Industries Ltd., at Winnipeg, the three Courier 85's will be the first Canadian-made buses purchased by Coach Lines in many years. The Couriers are gas buses.

Heavy Diesel buses now in service on the up-island run were built in the United States.

U.S. Business Gets Ready To Expand

WASHINGTON (AP) — Business in the United States plans to invest $4,800,000,000 in new factories, machinery and other equipment during the first quarter of 1951, setting a record for that season, U.S. govenment agencies reported Sunday.

The news pointed to a overwhelming response by the business community to calls for expansion of output so that surging military requirements can be met without hacking civilian supplies to the bone.

Forestry Trustees

C. D. Orchard, B.C.'s deputy minister of lands and forests, and R. J. Filbert, Comox, were appointed trustees of the Western Forestry and Conservation Association at conference in San Francisco. First vice-president is S. C. Smith, general manager of Bloedel, Stewart and Welch.

DIRECTORS MEET

Meeting of the directors of the Chambers of Commerce will be held Friday at 12 o'clock in the Empress Hotel.

TODAY'S STOCK QUOTATIONS

By: Hagar Investment Ltd. · H. A. Humber Ltd. · James Richardson & Sons · T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd. · Investment Dealers' Association · A. E. Ames & Co.

Dow Jones New York index:

30 industrials	229.19, up 1.89
20 railroads	74.42, up .85
15 utilities	39.37, up .25
65 stocks	84.28, up .75

Volume, 2,600,000 shares.

Toronto averages:

Industrials	279.93, up 2.43
Golds	73.13, up .82
Base Metals	155.97, up 1.33
Western Oils	74.97, up 1.70

Sales, 1,248,000.

Montreal averages:

Industrials	182.50, up 2.70
Utilities	83.10, up .10
Golds	53.91, up .79
Papers	618.72, up 10.25

Sales, 276,700.

TORONTO
CLOSE

OILS

	Bid	Asked
Anglo-Canadian	450	465
Atlantic Oil	220	225
C. and E.	730	765
Calvan	375	400
Foothills Oil and Gas	--	252
Home Oil	1250	1275
Okalta	170	175
Pacific Pete.	700	710
Polaris	290	295
Royalite	1150	11⅞

MINES

	Bid	Asked
Cobalt Lode	66	68½
Akaitcho	102	108
Amalg. Larder	16	21
Aubelie	7¼	9
Aumaque	22	25
Aunor	295	310
Barnat	95	105
Beveourt	42	46
Bidgood Kirkland	5	6
Bobjo	11	14
Bralorne	600	630
Broulan	66	69
Buffalo Addison	8	10
Buffalo Ankerite	125	135
Buiolo	580	610
Base Metals	41	45
Campbell Red Lake	195	210
Castle Treth	201	205
Canadian Malartic	60	65
Central Patricia	63	68
Chemical Research	90	98
Chesterville	40	45
Cochenour Willans	145	155
Coin Lake	12	--
Colomac	3½	4
Conwest	180	190
Cons. Beatty	50	54
Cons. Duquesne	40	49
Cons. Howed	35	40
Cons. Smelters	12725	12775
Croinor	30	34
Discovery Yellowknife	28	29
Dome Mines	1425	1475
Donalda	44	47
East Malartic	118	125
East Sullivan	705	715
Elder	48	--
Eldona	23	25
Eureka	49	53
Falconbridge	760	785
Frobisher	255	280
Giant Yellowknife	590	600
Gods Lake	38	42
Golden Manitou	575	600
Harricana	6½	7
Hardrock	21½	25
Hasaga	25	30
Heva Cad.	7½	8¾
Hollinger	10⅛	10⅜
Hosco	5¼	6
Hudson Bay Mining	5325	5375
Indian Lake	3¼	4½
Inspiration	42	45
Joliet Quebec	83	88
Kerr Addison	1550	1600
Kirkland Lake	80	90
Labrador	610	625
Lake Dufault	85	95
Lakeshore	850	875
Lake Wasa	40	43
Lamaque	505	550
Leitch Gold	95	100
Little Long Lac	47½	50
Lingman Lake	22¾	23
Louvicourt	17	19
Lynx Yellowknife	12	14
Madsen Red Lake	205	215
Macassa	190	195
Marcus	9	11
Malartic Goldfields	205	215
McDonald	88	95
McIntyre	5225	5300
McKenzie Red Lake	39	42
McLeod Cockshutt	205	210
Moneta	35	40
Nechi Cons.	--	40
Negus	68	72
Nipissing	155	170
Normetal	440	450
Northern Can.	45	59
Noranda	6900	6975
O'Brien Gold	121	128
Orlac	4½	6
New Calumet	270	280
Osiska Lake	115	120
Pamour Porc.	77	81
Pato Cons.	225	250
Paymaster	56	60
Perron Gold	43	
Pickle Crow	160	167
Powell Rouyn	86	100
Porcupine Reef	102	105
Preston	128	135
Quemont	2325	2375
San Antonio	225	235
Senator	18	19
Sheep Creek	125	130
Sherritt Gordon	285	290
Silanco	27	30
Sigma	600	650
Sisco Gold	60	64
Sladen Malartic	55	60
Steeprock	625	640
Sullivan	280	290
Sylvanite	106	110
Teck Hughes	211	215
Toburn	26	35
Trans. Cont. Resources	41	43
Upper Canada	168	170
Ventures	865	875
Wait Amulet	925	935
Wright Hargreaves	153	158
Yellowknife Bear	76	80

GRAIN

WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP) — Highly-active trade struck futures business, reducing or erasing losses marked up in the earlier part of the session.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
December	95⅛	95⅛	94	94½
May	91	91	89⅝	90⅞
July	83	83¼	82	83¼
Rye—				
December	154⅝	156½	154⅝	156½
May	161⅝	162⅛	160⅝	162⅛
July	160¼	161	159¼	161
Barley—				
December	134¼	134½	133⅝	134½
May	128⅞	129¼	127⅞	129¼
July	121½	122	120¾	122
Flax—				
December	403¾	403¾	402¼	403½
May	404	405¾	404	404¾
July	398	399⅞	398	399¾

Cash Grain Close
Oats—No. 2 cw. 96½.
Barley—No. 2 cw. 141½.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 156½, track 156½.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO (AP)—Grains rallied toward the close after displaying easiness most of the day.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
December	232⅞	235	232¾	234¾
March	238⅝	241	237½	240½
May	237¼	238½	235¾	238⅝
Corn—				
December	166½	167⅛	165¼	167¼
March	167½	168⅝	166⅝	168½
May	167⅜	169⅛	166⅞	169⅛
Oats—				
December	97	97	95⅝	96¼
March	96⅜	96⅜	95½	96¼
May	93¼	93¼	92¼	93¼
Rye—				
December	149½	150½	148¼	150½
May	157¼	158¼	156	158¼
Soy Beans—				
January	295⅜	296⅜	292¾	296½
March	296¾	297⅞	294	297½
May	296½	297½	293	297¼

National Car Steel Lead Rising Markets

MONTREAL (CP)—A steady rise in some leaders featured a narrowly higher security list. Trading continued slow.

Gains in the odd issue ranged to two points or more near the close in the midst of a predominating list of narrow fractional advances.

National Steel Car, trading 1¾ points higher, held the spotlight in the industrial section, after jumpingthree points to 29¾.

Abitibi highlighted a strong paper list, with a two-point rise to 42½, while International Paper was a point stronger at 51.

A small list of utilities and senior oils were steady to slightly firmer, while senior metals were irregularly higher. Banks held unchanged following an idle start.

Mines fell in line with the security list, but Western oils remained unchanged.

Mines Move Up

TORONTO (CP)—Prices advanced in quiet trading. nI industrials advances ranged to more than $2 and gains outnumbered losses about four to one. Papers and steels led the board with a solid array of leaders ahead. Utilities, agricultures, construction: Foods, liquors, banks, textiles and manufacturing companies showed a majority of gains. Retail tsores and refining oils tended lower.

Base metals climbed over a broad front with gains up to $1. Consolidated Smelters, Hudson Bay, International Nickel, Golden Manitou, Normetal, Quemont and Steep Rock were leading issues that posted good advances.

A wide list of western oils were ahead with gains ranging to 25 cents. Anglo-Canadian, Federated Petroleums, Home Oil, National Petroleums and Pacific Petroleums led the group higher.

Senior golds moved narrowly and mixed. Junior producers were quieter than the rest of the market with the odd leader adding pennies.

Santa Fe Lively

NEW YORK (AP)—A short and sharp rally put prices ahead by a few cents to around $2 a share.

The buying drive was concentrated in the second hour when the price reporting ticker ran a minute behind floor transactions on two occasions.

The first spark of life appeared in the railroad section which immediately added a few cents to more than a dollar a share. Santa Fe jumped more than $11 at one time.

Steels and motors were hard on the heels of the carriers and started their own rally which carried to around $2 a share. Many other areas participated in the advance including aircrafts and airlines. There were no really definitely backward groups in the list.

Canadian issues gained with Hiram Walker climbing ¾, Distillers Seagrams and International Nickel each ½, Canadian Pacific and Dome Mines each adding ¼.

On the curb, Royalite Oil added ¼, while Lake Shore was unchanged.

Gains In London

LONDON (Reuter) — Small gains were widespread.

Indian-sponsored peace moves at Lake Success, N.Y., created a marked improvement in sentiment in all sections and gains were fairly well held despite the volume of business being restricted by the end of the account.

Long-dated British Government Funds advanced by ⅛ and there were gains of several pence in textiles, electrical equipments and miscellaneous industrial leaders. Dunlop new shares were a good market at 4s 6d premium on favorable press comment.

Oils followed the prevailing trend and useful gains were recorded by international stocks, including Nickels and Canadian Pacific.

MONTREAL -- TORONTO
INDUSTRIALS—CLOSING PRICES

	Bid	Asked
C.I.F.	41½	41¾
Abitibi com.	41½	41¾
Do. pfd.	24⅝	24¾
Acadia Atlantic A	22½	23
Algoma Steel	26	26¼
Aluminum Co.	86¼	87
Asbestos Corp.	35⅝	36½
Ashdown A	--	16½
Atlas Steel	13⅛	13¼
Bank of Montreal	30¼	30½
Bank of Nova Scotia	42	42¼
Bank of Toronto	--	42½
Bathurst A	37½	38
Beatty Bros.	11½	14
Bell Telephone	39⅝	39¾
Brazilian Traction	21	21⅛
B.A. Oil com.	--	27⅞
Do. pfd.	27¼	28
B.C. Forest Prod.	460	475
B.C. Packers A	13¼	14
B.C. Power A	28⅞	29¼
Brown com.	7	8¼
Do. pfd.	123½	124
Bruck Mills A	16	--
Do. B	--	8¼
Building Prod.	31½	32
Burlington Steel	17½	18
Burrard Dry Dock A	--	8½
Can. Cement	46½	47
Can. Dom. Sugar	46⅛	47
Can. Malting	53	54
Can. Nor. Power	--	11
Can. Packers A	40	41
Can. Ss. com.	--	25
Do. pfd.	43½	44
Can. Canners	23½	24
Can. Car and Fdry.	12⅞	13¼
Do. A	16	16¼
Can. Celanese	49	49¼
Can. Dredge and Dock	27	--
Can. Gen. Invest.	20½	21½
Can. Indust.	30⅝	31
Can. Loco.	25	--
Can. Marconi	350	360
C.P.R.	22⅛	22½
Can. Vickers	12½	12¾
Can. West. Lumber	6½	6⅝
Cockshutt Plow	20⅝	21¼
Cons. Paper	31	31⅝
Consumers Glass	28½	29½
Crown Cork and Steel	35	--
Davis Leather A	21	21⅝
Distillers Seagrams	28	28⅜
Dom. Bank	29⅞	30
Dom. Bridge	52⅞	53
Dom. Foundries	40	--
Dom. Glass	60	62
Dom. Coal and Steel B	--	27
Dom. Stores	11½	13½
Dom. Tar and Chem.	30	33
Dom. Textile	12	12⅝
Dryden Paper	28	29
Eddy Paper A	18	19
Famous Players	16¼	16⅜
Fanny Farmer	30	31
Federal Grain	11¼	--
Ford of Can. A	49¼	49⅜
Foundations Co.	32	33
Fraser Co.	36½	37
Gatineau Power	17	17⅜
Gen. Steel Wares	17⅜	18
Goodyear Tire	96	100
Great Lakes Paper	27	28
Harding Carpets	9½	10¼
Gypsum Lime and Alabastine	20½	21
Hamilton Bridge	11	12½
Hayes Steel	31½	33½
Howard Smith	65¼	68½
Imperial Bank	33½	34
Imperial Oil	--	27¼
Imperial Tobacco	12⅝	12⅞
Indust. Accept.	30	31
Inter. Bronze Pwdrs. pfd.	--	22
Inter. Metals A	39¼	42
Inter. Nickel	38¼	38½
Inter. Paper	50	--
Inter. Pete	12¼	12⅜
Inter. Power	--	95
Inter. Utilities	22¼	22½
Lake of Woods	--	27½
Laura Secord	14	--
Loblaw A	31½	32
Do. B	30½	31
Lowneys	14	15⅛
McMillan A	15¼	16
Do. B	15¼	16
McColl Front.	16½	17
Massey-Harris com.	37⅛	37¼
Minn. and Ont. Paper	25	25½
Molsons Brew.	27½	27⅞
Montreal Loco.	16½	16¾
Moore Corp.	96	--
Nat. Brew.	20	20¼
Nat. Drug pfd.	--	13
Nat. Grocers	28¾	--
Nat. Steel Car	28⅝	28¾
Ogilvie Flour	21	21½
Page Hersey	50	50½
Powell River	--	62
Power Corp.	19	19½
Price Bros.	103¼	104½
Purity Flour com.	5⅝	7
Royal Bank	--	30
St. Law. Corp.	28¾	29
Shawinigan Power	29¼	29½
Do. pfd.	47	47¼
Shea's Brew.	21½	--
Sick's Brew.	19½	20
Do. V.T.	18½	19
Simpson's A	--	35
Do. B	28⅝	29
Southam	19	19⅝
South Can. Pwr.	26	27
Standard Chem.	10	10⅛
Standard Paving	22½	13
Steel of Can.	27⅝	--
Do pfd.	27½	28
Taylor Pearson	6⅝	7
Traders Finance A	23	24
Trans. Television	35	41
Union Gas	18	18¼
United Steel	7¼	7⅜
Hiram Walker	52⅝	53
Western Grocers	36½	37
Westeel Prod.	17	17⅝
Winnipeg Elec.	34½	34⅝

PREFERRED STOCKS

	%	Bid	Asked
Abitibi ($1.50)	--	24⅝	24¾
Aluminum ($25 par)	4	26¼	26½
A-C Tel. ($50 par)	4½	--	45¼
B.A. Oil ($25 par)	3¾	--	28
B.C. Electric	4	88¼	90¼
Do.	4½	99	--
B.C. Telephone	6	112	113
Do.	4¾	101	103
Blue Ribbon	5	55½	57¼
Calgary Power	4	95½	--
Can. Wire Cable ($4)	--	102¼	114
Can. Bronze	5	105¼	--
Can. Celanese ($1.75)	--	37	39
Can. Utilities	5	101¼	--
C.W. Nat. Gas ($20 par)	5	19⅝	--
Dom. Malting	5	102	105
Donnacona	4½	105	--
Fraser	4⅝	101⅛	--
Gatineau	5½	108	109
G.S. Wares	5	105¼	--
Howard Smith ($50 par)	--	--	50
Imp. Tobacco ($25 par)	4	25	25¼
Nat. Grocers ($1.50)	--	28½	28¾
Power Corp.	6	112	--
Price Bros.	4	101	--
Simpson's	4½	99¾	100½
Standard Chemical	5	93	94
Geo. Weston	4½	--	100

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MONTREAL (Noon) (CP) — Market rate for U.S. funds was $1.04 29-32.

Pound sterling was $2.93⅝ against $2.93⅝.

NEW YORK (3 p.m.) (CP)—Canadian dollar was down ⅛ of a cent at a discount of 4¾ per cent in terms of U.S. funds. The pound sterling was unchanged at $2.80.

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OILS

	Bid	Asked
Allied Oil	72	76
Anaconda Oil	12	14
Anglo-Canadian	450	465
A.P. Con.	33	38
Atlantic Oil	225	235
C. and E. Corp.	720	775
Calmont	73	74
Calnorth	24	--
Calvan	380	385
Central Leduc	215	218
Commoil	145	150
Commonwealth	167	180
Continental Oil	43	--
Dalhousie	30	31
Del Rio	102	103
East Leduc	--	20
Federated Pete.	450	460
General Pete.	475	--
Do. A	475	--
Globe Oil	47½	49
Hargal Oil	9½	9¾
Highwood Sarcee	--	12
Home Oil	13⅝	--
McDougall Segur	18	20
Mercury	12½	13½
Model Oil	43	--
Okalta	171	175
Pacific Pete.	700	710
Polaris	290	--
Princess	125	130
Redwater Leaseholds	43	--
Royal Canadian	9	--
Royalite	--	1200
Share Oil	--	10
South Brazeau Pete.	9⅝	--
Sunset Oils	36	--
Superior Oils	71	75
Vanalta	25	27
York Oil	20	24

MINES

	Bid	Asked
Bayonne Cons.	2	2½
Base Metals	41	45
Bralorne	605	610
Bridge River Con.	2¼	2½
B.R.X. (1935)	4	5
Canuse Cariboo	5	--
Cariboo Gold	95	--
Congress	--	8
Cuyuni Gold	--	16
Golconda	30	--
Grandview	26	--
Grull Wihksne	2¼	2⅜
Hedley Mascot	41	44
Highland Belle	86	89
Inter. C. and C.	28	30
Island Mountain	80	90
Kootenay Belle	--	60
McGillivary Creek	6	--
Pacific Nickel	27	35
P.E. Gold	5	--
Pend Oreille	785	--
Pioneer Gold	180	185
Premier Border	7	7½
Privateer	6¼	--
Quatsino Copper	14¼	15
Red Hawke	4	5½
Reeves McDonald	375	390
Reno Gold	2	4
Sheep Creek	125	129
Silbak Premier	28	30
Silver Ridge	3	--
Silver Standard	201	203
Taku River	6	--
Taylor Bridge	--	22
Utica	3	4
Vananda	9	10
Wellington	2¼	2½
Western Exploration	65	70
Western Uranium	98	100

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Distillers	176	185
B.C. Forest Products	460	--
Burrard Drydock A	750	--
Canadian Western Lumber	650	6⅝
Capital Estates	2100	2225
Coast Breweries	400	--
H. R. MacMillan A	1525	1600
Pacific Coyle	87½	--
Powell River	--	6175
Sun Publishing	1975	--
Westminster Paper A	900	--
Do. B	5⅛	--

NEW YORK

	Close
Allied Chemicals	57¾
American Can	97¾
American Tobacco	64¾
American Smelter	69⅛
American Tel. and Tel.	152⅝
Anaconda Copper	37¼
Atchison Topeka	150
B. and O. Railway	17⅝
Bethlehem Steel	46⅝
Canadian Pacific Railway	20¾
C. and O. Railway	33
Chrysler	68
Con. Edison	28⅞
Du Pont	79
Eastman Kodak	50⅞
Erie Railroad	18
General Foods	47
General Electric	48⅞
General Motors	46½
Goodyear Tire	60
Great Northern	46¾
Inter. Harvester	30⅞
Inter Nickel	35⅞
Johns-Manville	47½
Kennecott Copper	72
Loew's Theatre	15¼
New York Central	18¼
Norfolk and Western	48¾
Northern Pacific	29¼
Pennsylvania Railroad	20⅝
Procter & Gamble	70
Public Service New Jersey	21
Standard Oil California	79½
Standard Oil Ne wJersey	85½
Sears Roebuck	53⅝
Socony Vacuum	24⅛
Southern Pacific	63⅞
Southern California Edison	31⅝
Southern Railway	48⅝
Texas Corp.	76½
Union Carbide	54¼
Union Pacific	99⅝
United Aircraft	32¼
U.S. Steel	40⅛
Westinghouse Electric	32¼
Woolworth	44¼

LONDON (AP)—Stock closings: Babcock & Wilcox 65s, Boots Pure Drug 48s 9d, Canadian Pacific $41⅞, Central Mining £2 1-16, Consolidated Goldfields 47s 9d, Courtaulds 37s 10½d, Hudson's Bay Co. 95s, Imperial Chemical 42s 4½d, Imperial Tobacco 105s, Metal Box 46s, Mexican Eagle 21s 3d.

ALBERTA OIL REPORT

Drilling Delayed On Baron's Well Offset

By C. J. MYERS

CALGARY—The offset to the Barons discovery well will not be drilled as planned, according to official information in Calgary Sunday. It is understood the rig is being moved off location. The reason for the change is that the Barons discovery was drilled on a crown reservation and regulations governing reservations will not allow the drilling of an offset until the lease blocks have been chosen.

Converting the reservations of leases may require further evaluation. Major companies usually accomplish this by stepout drilling following a discovery. Whether the Barons evaluation will be made on the basis of stepout drilling or further geophysical information has not yet been announced.

Naco Drumheller, the cretaceous strike four miles north of Drumheller town is being followed by a south offset at once. The rig from the No. 2 discovery was skidded to the low site at the week-end.

The No. 2 well was reported ready to start swabbing in process of being placed on production.

The Naco well got one of the thickest cretaceous producing sections so far encountered although other cretaceous strikes have given up oil at a faster rate.

In two tests over a 40-foot interval the well gave rises of 1,500 and 3,200 feet of oil.

An earlier Naco well was a wet gas discovery six miles east.

Another independent to hit the limelight is Warner Oils Ltd. which Friday announced its Warner Socony Stonelaw No. 1 in Big Valley country and north of Naco.

Okalta Oils are moving their rig from recent D-2 discovery Okalta-Ireton, a mile and a half south of the McLeod pool at the southeast corner of Leduc, to Okalta No. 14 at the southern tip of the field.

The Okalta No. 14 is an east offset to producer No. 13, and officials expect to have the well spudded in by the beginning of next week. The site is on farm-out acreage from Imperial Oil.

In the Acheson area, Cal. Standard Welbourne No. 15-3, a half-mile west of the Acheson discovery, is drilling at 4,230 feet, about 60 above the D-3 contact at the discovery. No results of D-2 tests at the well have been reported. Acheson Province No. 14-2, an east offset to the discovery, has spudded in and is drilling at 206 feet, and Acheson No. 5-2, a half-mile south of the discovery, is still repairing around 150 feet.

National Acheson, a mile southwest of Central Leduc Wild No. 1, received 100 feet of gassified, muddy salt water and 140 feet of gassified drilling mud during a drillstem test between 4,106 and 4,149 feet. A slight, surging gas flow was also received, as well as a sustained fluid recovery. The well is now drilling.

Albertan Spruce Grove No. 1, three miles west of Central Leduc Wild No. 1, is still winterizing rig after having spudded in.

PRESENTATION TO CHAIRMAN

G. E. Weightman of the Hudson's Bay Company who is being transferred to Calgary was presented Friday with a script by the members of the Victoria Chapter of the Society of Industrial and Coast Accountants of B.C. Mr. Weightman, who is chairman of the chapter spoke to the members on "Organization and Accounting Controls" at his final appearance.

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VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

BOGELUD—Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. Bogelund, 3006 Cedar Hill Road, Victoria, B.C., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Sunday, December 10, 1950, a daughter.

CAMPBELL—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald James Campbell, 480 South Joffre Street, Victoria, B.C., on Sunday, December 10, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, Kenneth James, 6 pounds, 11½ ounces, a brother for Keith.

FLOYD—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Floyd, 469 Dupplin Road, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, December 9, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, Christopher Charles, 7 pounds, 7 ounces, a brother for Stanley, Daphne and Barbara.

ROBERGE—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Roberge, 66 Millstream Road, Langford, on Sunday, December 10, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, 7 pounds, 14 ounces, a brother for Garay, Denis and Alden.

TANNER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tanner, Alderly Road, R.R. 1, Royal Oak, on Saturday, December 9, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, 9 pounds, 2½ ounces, a brother for Carolyn.

WAKELIN—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wakelin, 3336 Kingsley Road, Victoria, B.C., on Sunday, December 10, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a son, 6 pounds, 13 ounces, a brother for Dalbert.

MARRIAGES

KERR—LAWSON

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lawson, of Powell River, B.C., announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Margaret, to Mr. Arthur Scott Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kerr, 2281 Windsor Road, Victoria, B.C. The wedding took place on Saturday, December 9, 1950, at 8 p.m. at St. John's Anglican Church, Victoria, with Canon George Biddle officiating.

DEATHS

FREDERICK JAMES BRIMER

On December 9, 1950, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Frederick James Brimer, aged 83 years. Surviving are his wife, at 220 Beechwood Avenue; his son, Laurence Frederick, and his granddaughter, Sheila Audrey in Toronto. He was born in Toronto, Ontario, and had lived in Victoria for the past 22 years.
Funeral service will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday, December 13, 1950, at 1.15 p.m. Reverend F. E. M. Tomalin officiating. Cremation. (No flowers, by request.)

WILLIAM CLEWS

Passed away on Saturday, December 9, 1950, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, William Clews, aged 83 years; born in Birmingham, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past 30 years. Surviving are his wife, Fanny Maria, at the residence, 79 Hampton Road; one granddaughter, Mrs. Grace Davis of Elnora, Alberta; and one grandson. Mr. Clews was a member of the Sons of England.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Brothers' Floral Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon, December 13, 1950, at 2 o'clock, Reverend J. C. A. Barton officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

HARVEY BRIAN COMBE

On December 10, 1950, at his home, 1919 Davie Street, Harvey Brian Combe; aged 65 years; beloved husband of Margaret Combe; born in Victoria. Besides his wife, at home; he leaves a sister, Mrs. Hew Patterson in Victoria; two stepsons, Walter and Bill Newcombe in Victoria.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Tuesday, December 12 1950, at 1.15 p.m., Reverend A. E. H. Cameron officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park. (No flowers, by request.)

ALBERT CANBRIDGE CURTIS

Suddenly at Chemainus, V.I., on December 10, 1950, Albert Canbridge Curtis of 1600 Oakland Avenue, Victoria B.C. in his 23rd year, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril N. Curtis of 1600 Oakland Avenue. Born in Victoria, he leaves besides his parents, one sister, Miss Vera Muriel, at home, and one brother, John Nash Curtis of Victoria.
Funeral arrangements will be announced later by McCall Brothers' Funeral Directors.

GLADYS MAY OCKENDEN

At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 10, 1950, Gladys May, aged 54 years, beloved wife of Charles O. Ockenden, of 1041 Oliphant Street; born in Evansville Illinois, and had been a resident of Victoria for 26 years. Besides her husband, she leaves three daughters, Mrs. F. Williams, Montreal, P.Q.; Mrs. D. Kent, Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. E. O'Sullivan in Victoria; four grandchildren; her mother, Mrs. Martha Shepherd, at present in Vancouver B.C.; also five brothers, Owen, Guy, James, Richard and Mac Shepherd; four sisters, Mrs. Lily McDonald, Mrs. Charles Freed, Mrs. W. Trenholme and Mrs. Roland Wilkins.
Funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday, December 13, 1950, at 1.15 p.m. Reverend Moir A. J. Waters officiating, followed by cremation.

DEATHS

WILLIAM FORBES CAREY POPE

In Victoria, B.C., on December 8, 1950, William Forbes Carey Pope, aged 81, of Cowichan Bay, B.C.; born in Oregon City, Oregon. He leaves three sisters, Mrs. J. M. H. Harding in Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. George Adams and Miss Gilsie Pope in Santa Barbara, California; one brother, Harold Pope, in Kamloops, B.C.; also a nephew, Freeman Harding, in Seattle, Washington. Mr. Pope was Past Master of Vancouver-Quadra Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., and a member of I.O.O.F., Lodge No. 1.
Funeral under the auspices of Vancouver-Quadra Lodge No. 2, will be held from St. John's Church on Tuesday, December 12, 1950, at 3 p.m., Reverend Canon George Biddle officiating. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. Ltd., directors.

ROSINA WILLMAN

On December 10, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Miss Rosina Willman of 2466 Florence Street; born in Germany and a resident of Victoria for 14 years. She leaves a sister, Mrs. Bertha Birsner, at 2466 Florence Street.
Prayers will be offered in Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Tuesday evening at 8 and Requiem Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, December 13 1950, at 9 a.m. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DR. CHARLES ROBERT WORTHINGTON

There passed away at the Veterans' Hospital, on December 7, 1950, Dr. Charles Robert Worthington, aged 73 years; born in England, and a resident of Saanich for the past nine months, formerly of Nanaimo, B.C. Survived by his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Armstrong of Newport, Mon., England, and his sister, Miss D. M. Worthington of Saanichton.
Funeral services will be held at the Sands Mortuary Limited Memorial Chapel of Chimes on Tuesday, December 12, 1950, at 1.15 p.m. Padre G. D. Kendell officiating. Interment in the Veterans' Cemetery, Esquimalt, B.C.

FUNERAL

RACHAEL ADELINE CUNLIFFE

Passed away in Nanaimo, B.C., on Tuesday, November 28, 1950, Mrs. Rachael Adeline Cunliffe, aged 72 years, widow of the late Mr. J. F. Cunliffe, who predeceased her two years ago. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Parks of Nanaimo, B.C. and Mrs. Rae Case, 2321 Cook Street, Victoria; two grandsons, Mr. Alvin Parks of Nanaimo, and Mr. Roy Parks of Windsor, Ontario; one granddaughter, Mrs. Bert Manson, of Lillooet, B.C.; and two great-granchildren, Cheryl E. Parks and Terry Lynn Manson; three sisters, Mrs. E. McMillan of Victoria, Mrs. Annie Anderson of Nanaimo, and Mrs. Beatrice Grant of Royston, B.C., and one brother, Mr. Mannie Coundley of Nanaimo, B.C.
Funeral services were held on Friday, December 1, 1950, at Nanaimo, B.C. Interment was in the family plot at Nanaimo.

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CHAPLIN—We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our many friends for the kind expressions of sympathy, letters of condolence, and for the beautiful floral tributes received. Our special thanks to Dr. D. E. Alcorn, Dr. W. H. Moore, Clovelly Private Hospital and to Rev. W. L. Holder.
—The Chaplin Family.

TAYLOR—We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness and messages of sympathy and floral tributes received from our relatives and friends during our recent bereavement in the loss of a loving husband, father and brother, Charles Taylor. Special thanks to Dr. W. Roberts of Resthaven Hospital, and also to Sands Mortuary Limited.—Mrs. May Taylor, Albert and Leslie Taylor, Evelyn Randall, and Mrs. Alice Gonnason.

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4 COMING EVENTS

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WARD Two annual meeting, Tuesday, December 12, 8 p.m., Liberal Headquarters. Election officers, receiving reports. Mrs. J. L. Gates, president.

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FOUND—Small silver spoon in gift box. Garden 8341.

LOST—Pair of glasses, in Hudson's Bay. Reward. Garden 4544.

LOST—Westfield watch on Douglas between Yates and Johnson, Friday night. Please phone Empire 0680.

6 PERSONAL

SCRIPTURE TEXT FOR TODAY
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7 BUSINESS PERSONALS

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TOP BILLING TONIGHT

MUSIC: NBC Symphony, KOMO, 7 . . . Railroad Hour, KOMO, 8.30 . . Michael Ranbin, 14 year old violinist, guest on Telephone Hour, KOMO, 9.

DRAMA: Barbara Stanwyck and Stewart Granger star in "B.F.'s Daughter," on Radio Theatre, KIRO, 6 . . . Patricia Neal, guest on Hollywood Star Playhouse, KIRO, 9.

Tonight

5.30-Musical Roundup—CKDA. Dixieland Jazz—CBR. Square Dance—CJVI. Jimmy Allan—CKWX. Easy Listening—CJOR. Chet Huntley KIRO. Space Patrol—KJR. Voice of Firestone—KOMO. Challenge of Yukon—KVI. 5.45 News—CJVI KIRO

6.00-Radio Theatre—CBR, KIRO. News Scrapbook—CKDA. Dinner Concert—CJVI. News—CKWX KJR KVI. Easy Listening—CJOR. Quote and Unquote—KOMO. 6.15: Edwin C Hill—KJR.

6.30-Radio Theatre—CBR, KIRO. Tippy's Scrapbook—CKDA. Hollywood Open House—CJVI. Bob White Show CKWX. Easy Listening CJOR. First Piano Quartette—KOMO. Martha Lou Harp—KJR. Answer Man—KVI.

7.00-CBC News—CBR. News—CKDA, CJVI. News, Dick Haymes—CKWX. Opportunity Knocks—CJOR. My Friend Irma—KIRO. NBC Symphony—KOMO. Lone Ranger KJR. War Front-Home Front—KVI. 7.15: Pays to Advertise—CKDA. 7.15 News Roundup CBR.

7.30-Songs for Early Evening—CBR. Press Conference—CJVI, CJOR. Good Old Days—CKDA. Lionel Barrymore—CKWX. Bob Hawk Show—KIRO. Symphony—KOMO. Symphonette—KJR. Cisco Kid—KVI.

8.00-Linger Awhile—CBR. News CJVI CJOR CKWX. News—CKDA. Lowell Thomas—KIRO. One Man's Family—KOMO. News Conference KJR. Let George Do It—KVI. 8.15: Hollywood Showtime—CJVI. 8.15 Cecil Solly—CKWX. 8.15: Jack Smith—KIRO. 8.15 News of the World—KOMO

8.30-Commercial Hockey—CKDA. Court of Opinions—CJVI, CJOR. Share the Wealth—CKWX. Fancy Free—CBR. Arthur Godfrey—KIRO. Railroad Hour—KOMO. Time For Defence—KJR. Under Arrest—KVI.

9.00-News; Hockey—CKDA. Farm Radio Forum—CBR. Take a Chance—CKWX CJVI. Rythm Range—CJOR. Hollywood Theatre—KIRO. Telephone Hour—KOMO. Glenn Hardy—KVI. Symphonette—KJR.

9.30-Hockey—CKDA. Melody From Sky—CBR. Opportunity Knocks CJVI. Kaltenborn Edits—KOMO. Twenty Questions—CKWX. Today's Hits—CJOR. Beulah—KIRO. News—KJR. Could This Be You—KVI.

10.00-News of the Times—CKDA. News—CBR CKWX CJOR. KJR KIRO. Spinner Sanctum—CKDA. Six For One—CJVI. Richfield Reporter—KOMO. I Love a Mystery KVI. 10.15: Provincial Affairs—CBR. 10.15: Frank Edwards—KVI.

10.30 Spinner Sanctum—CKDA. News—CJVI. Swap 'N Shop—KIRO. Robert Armbuster—KOMO. Vic Water's Show—CJOR. Dance Orchestra—CBR. John B. Kennedy—KJR. Chuckwagon Jamboree—KVI. 10.45: Lionel Barrymore—CJVI.

11.00-News; Spinner Sanctum—CKDA. Bob Priestley—CJVI. Who Beat Who?—CJOR. News—CKWX, KOMO. U.N. Today—CBR. Weather, Music—KIRO. Chuckwagon—KVI. Acme Hop—KJR.

11.30-Spinner Sanctum—CKDA. Bob Priestley—CJVI. Vic Water's Show—CJOR. Doghouse—CKWX. Time to Dream—CBR, KOMO. Easy Listening—KIRO. Chuckwagon—KVI. Acme Hop—KJR.

Tomorrow

7.30-News, Weather—CBR. G G Man—CJOR. News—CJVI, CKWX, KIRO. Bob Nicholls—KOMO. Bob Garred—KJR. Back to Bible—KVI. Dave Hill Show—CKDA. 7.45 Al Smith Show—CJVI. 7.45 Sam Hayes KOMO.

8.00-News; Bill Good—CBR. News—CJVI CJOR, KOMO. News and Sports—CKDA. Swap and Shop—KIRO. Breakfast Club KJR. Cecil Brown—KVI. 8.15 Breakfast Club—CBR. 8.15 Music of the Waltz—CJVI. 8.15 Dave Vaille KIRO.

8.30-Breakfast Club—CBR. Dave Hill Show—CKDA. Music of the Waltz—CJVI. News Bob's Inn—CKWX. Billy Brown—CJOR. Grand Slam—KIRO. Haven of Rest—KVI. Jack Berch Show—KOMO. 8.45 Roving Reporter CKDA. 8.45 Rosemary—KIRO. 8.45: Laura Limited—CBR.

9.00-BBC News—CBR. News CJVI KJR. News, Music Hall—CKDA. News, Pick the Hits CKWX. Billy Brown—CJOR. Wendy Warren, KIRO. Voice of Fisher—KOMO. Breakfast Gang—KVI. 9.15 Aunt Lucy CBR. 9.15: Christmas Corner—CJVI. 9.15 Aunt Jenny KIRO. 9.15 Katherine Wise—KOMO. 9.15 Ann Sterling KJR.

9.30-Morning Concert—CBR. Housewife Holiday—CKDA. John Seagle—CJVI. Homemaker's Harmonies—CKWX. Top Tunes—CJOR. Helen Trent—KIRO. Dave Garroway—KOMO. Variety Time—KJR. Tell Your Neighbor—KVI. 9.45 Paula Stone—CJVI. 9.45 Our Gal Sunday—KIRO. 9.45 Gabriel Heatter—KVI.

10.00-Morning Visit—CBR. News, Dave Hill—CKDA. Six For One—CJVI. News, Bob White Show—CKWX. Big Sister—KIRO.

Ruth and Dick—KOMO. Luncheon Club—KJR. Glenn Hardy KVI. 10.15: Happy Gang—CBR. 10.15 Ma Perkins—KIRO. Y' Never Know—CJOR.

10.30-Happy Gang—CBR. Dave Hill Show—CKDA. News—CJVI. Let's Start Arguing—CKWX. Town Crier—CJOR. Ann Sterling—KJR. Young Dr. Malone—KIRO. Break the Bank—KOMO. Ladies' Journal—KVI. 10.45: Women's Page—CJVI. 10.45 News—CJOR. 10.15: Money Man—CKWX. 10.45 Guiding Light—KIRO. 10.55 Betty Crocker—KJR.

11.00-Kindergarten of the Air—CBR. News; Waltz Festival—CJVI. News; Ricki Nichells—CKDA. News, Today's Hit—CKWX. Backstage Wife—CJOR. Second Mrs Burton—KIRO. Double or Nothing—KOMO. Betty Crocker—KJR. Ladies Fair—KVI. 11.15: Ricki Nichells—CKDA. 11.15 A Man and His Music—CBR. 11.15: Money Man—CJVI. 11.15 Today's Hits—CKWX. 11.15 Perry Mason—KIRO.

11.30-A Man and His Music CBR. Let's Start Arguing—CJVI. Star Time—CKWX. Ma Perkins CJOR. Lucky Listening—CKDA. Nora Drake KIRO. Live Like a Million—KOMO. Baukhage Talking—KJR. Queen for a Day—KVI. 11.45 Guiding Light—CJOR. 11.45 Brighter Day—KIRO.

12.00-A Man and His Music CBR. News; Piccadilly Parade—CJVI. News CKWX CJOR KJR KVI KIRO CKDA. Life Can Be Beautiful KOMO. 12.15 Bing Crosby—CKDA. 12.15 News Showcase—CBR. 12.15 Cecil Solly—KIRO. 12.15 News KOMO. 12.45 Kiddie Karnival—CJOR. 12.15 Sheelah Carter—KJR. 12.15 Cedric Foster—KVI.

12.30-B.C. Farm Broadcast—CBR. News Cast—CJVI. Kiddies' Karnival—CJOR. News and Ken Hughes CKWX. Bing Crosby—CKDA. Maury's Turntable—KIRO. Pepper Young's Family KOMO. Modern Romances—KJR. Harmony Hoedown—KVI. 12.45 Right to Happiness—KOMO.

1.00-This Week's Composer—CBR. News of the Times—CKDA. Memory Time—CJVI. News Day Dreaming CKWX. Famous Voices CJOR. Nona From Nowhere—KIRO. Backstage Wife—KOMO. J. B. Kennedy—KJR. Jack Kirkwood—KVI. 1.15: Ed Farey Show—CKDA. 1.15 Club Diary—CJVI.

1.30-Arthur Godfrey—CBR. Ed Farley Show—CKDA. Six For One—CJVI. Will Reeder—CKWX. Take It Easy—CJOR. Lorenzo Jones—KOMO. Housewives League—KIRO. Chuckle Wagon—KVI. Welcome to Hollywood—KJR. 1.45 A Grant Comty—CBR. 1.45 Young Dr. Malone—CKWX. 1.45 Young Widder Brown—KOMO

2.00-B.C. School Broadcast—CBR. News, Lost and Found—CKDA. Homemakers Harmonies—CJVI. Red White and Blue CKWX. Take It Easy—CJOR. Housewives Inc.—KIRO. When a Girl Marries—KOMO. Ann Sterling—KJR. News—KVI. 2.15 Ed Farley Show—CKDA. 2.15 Portia Faces Life—KOMO.

2.30-Musical Program—CBR. 2.35: Tea Time at Terry's—CJVI. Double or Nothing—CKWX. Ed Farey Show—CKDA. Take It Easy—CJOR. Arthur Godfrey—KIRO. Just Plain Bill KOMO. Chance of Lifetime—KJR. Matinee Musicale—KVI. 2.45 Songs of Memory—CKWX. 2.45 Arthur Godfrey KIRO. 2.45 Front Page Farrell—KOMO.

3.00-Brave Voyage—CBR. Tea Time at Terry's—CJVI. Club Calendar CKWX. News—CJOR CKWX. News, Shop and Swap—CKDA. Arthur Godfrey—KIRO. Music—KVI. Welcome Travelers—KOMO. Today In Hollywood—KJR. 3.15 Shop and Swap—CKDA. Western Five—CBR.

3.30-Listener's Choice—CBR. Vincent Lopez—CJVI. Off the Record CKWX. Perry Mason CJOR. Club 1340—CKDA. Arthur Godfrey KIRO. Aunt Mary—KOMO. Talk Back—KJR. Sagebrush Serenade—KVI. 3.45 Big Sister CJOR. 3.45: Afternoon Session—KJR. 3.45 Love and Learn—KOMO.

4.00-Lyrically Yours—CBR. News; Jo-Jo—CKDA. Beulah—CJVI, CJOR. News Off the Record—CKWX. Curt Massey—KIRO. Women's Secret KOMO. Afternoon Session—KJR. Fulton Lewis—KVI. 4.15 Jack Smith Show—CJVI CJOR. 4.15 Strike It Rich—KIRO. 4.15 Road of Life—KOMO. 4.15 Frank Hemingway KVI.

4.30-Heroes of the North—CBR. Kiddie Kapers CKDA. Club 15—CJVI, CJOR. Off the Record CKWX. Strike It Rich—KIRO. Linda's First Love KOMO. Women's Page—KJR. Behind the Story KVI. 4.45 Dr Paul—KOMO. 4.45 News KVI.

5.00-Int. Commentary—CBR. News, Roundup—CKDA. Six For One CJVI. Mark Trail—CKWX. Easy Listening—CJOR. Edward R. Murrow—KIRO. Note by Note KOMO. Bing Crosby—KJR. Straight Arrow—KVI. 5.15 Uncle Fred—CKWX.

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TELEVISION—KING

4.45—Crusader Rabbit.
4.50—Howdy Doody.
5.20—Time For Beany.
5.50—Kukla, Fran and Ollie.
6.15—Little Show.
6.30—Faye Emerson.
6.50—Mohawk Showroom.
7.10—Supper Club.
7.25—Celebrity Time.
8.00—Starlight Theatre.
9.00—The World Today.
9.05—Vienna Philharmonic.
9.20—Greatest Fights.
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44 CLOTHING

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A very good six-room home all rooms on one floor. Through hall. Also large basement, hot water heating throughout. Separate garage. All in excellent condition. Situated on six perfect lots, good high location. All cleared and ready for building. All lots are in garden at present. For only $5250
Part cash required.
Ask for Mr. Begon, B 5104 (2206) Day or Night

$1400 Down— $45 Per Month High Quadra
Five-room stucco bungalow with full basement and drive-in garage on a good lot only one block from bus, school and stores. One of the rooms can serve either as a third bedroom, dining-room or den. Low taxes—economical to heat. The best family home at the price in High Quadra at $5500
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.
Ask for Mr. Smith, B 5104 (2210), Day or Night.

Attractive—Vacant Nearly New Bungalow
White stucco bungalow, full basement, furnace. Large living-room, fireplace; modern kitchen, two large bedrooms, four-piece Pembroke bath and shower. One acre of land. Easy terms. Exceptionally good. Price $6950
Ask for Mr. Piddisk, B 5104 (2230), Day or Night.

Fairfield
Five-room, comfortable home in first class condition. Insulated, sun porch, full basement, new furnace garage. Good garden lot. A very nice home. Full price $7000
Ask for Mr. Ashton, B 5104 (2218), Day or Night

Cheap—But Good
A good little five-room nearly new stucco bungalow. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room, two fair-size bedrooms. Cabinet kitchen Full basement, furnace, drive-in garage. Spotless condition. Good terms. Price only $7200
Ask for Mr. Drew, B 5104; (2132), Evenings G 1776.

It Looks Good On Paper
But it is better than described and worth much more than asked. For where can you find a nearly new four-room stucco bungalow with Oil-O-Matic heat, cosy living-room, two fair-size bedrooms, Pembroke bathroom between. Lovely bright kitchen new oil range and dining space. Full basement, drive-in garage. Look at this and see for yourself! Price only $5800
Ask for Mr. Drew, B 5104 (2226), Evenings G 1776.

Bungalow—Duplex Revenue—$82 Monthly
Three rental units bring $82 per month. Four-room suite for owner, gas and sinks in all suites, two bathrooms, full basement, piped furnace. Solid home in excellent condition. Close in. Terms. Price $7300
Ask for Mr. Davis, B 5104 (664-A), Evenings, G 8614.

Revenue Home Fully Furnished
Seven rental units and four rooms for owner. Basement, furnace. Revenue $153 monthly, all rooms have gas stoves and sinks. In immaculate condition. Close in location. Always tenanted. Ideal investment, operating expenses low. Price $12,500
Ask for Mr. Davis, B 5104 (2054), G 8614.

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1112 BROAD STREET G 7171
Established 1900

Oak Bay South Good Family Home
Stucco bungalow with five excellent rooms down and two good bedrooms up concealed stairway. Full basement. HOT WATER HEAT. Drive-in garage. Conveniently situated near schools, shops, transportation. FULL PRICE $8950
Please contact Mr. Hockly; Eve. B5065

Investor's Bargain $1000 Down— Full Price $3675
This two-story home in the Central Park area has seven large rooms. It is rented now at $50 per month, but lease expires in three months. For full particulars please contact Mr. Burton, Jr., Evenings, E 1291.

Oak Bay
Modern attractive ranch-type stucco bungalow. This home is well built and fully insulated and comprises through hall, large living-room with dining area, very convenient cabinet kitchen, Pembroke bathroom, two twin size bedrooms and one smaller one suitable for den. Hot-air heated with oil, large attached garage, nice garden. Price $12,600
With terms
Please ask for T. G. Clark; Eve. E1328

Exclusive Location
A well-constructed six-room home, built for present owner, Hot-water oil heat. Lovely garden and unsurpassed views. Full Price $12 000
Please call Miss Coutrnall, G 9217.

Oak Bay
A high location with breath-taking views of Oak Bay, the sea, shipping and mountains. An outstanding home which has seclusion and is surrounded by a rock garden of fascinating beauty. Flowers galore lawns, shrubs, fish pools and native trees. The home is practically a six-room bungalow on main floor with two extra rooms upstairs. All rooms are of generous size and were designed for gracious living. Special features include attractive open fireplace in living-room, good-size den with electric fireplace, two complete bathrooms, excellent hardwood floors, basement, laundry tubs and HOT-WATER HEATING with OIL-O-MATIC FURNACE. Outside garage, etc. $21,000
Please call A. M. Millar; Eves. G 9214

Oak Bay North High Location Move In For Christmas
Situated on a new street among new homes this six-room bungalow comprises; through hall, large L-shaped living-room, dining-room, three good bedrooms, all with hardwood flooring. Modern electric kitchen with bar separating large nook. Inlaid linoleum in kitchen and Pembroke bathroom. Full daylight basement with fireplace and partitioning for rumpus room, 34 x 13. Automatic oil-air conditioned heat. House fully insulated. Garage in basement. Deep lot with 70-foot width. Price $13,950
$6,310 Cash and balance at 4½% repayable $48.13 per month. Clear title if desired.
J. S. Boorman; Eves., B 5036.

Boorman Investment, Co., Ltd.
616 VIEW STREET PHONE E 7124-5
Member Real Estate Board of Victoria

Near Mount Douglas Park
A charming bungalow containing entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, a kitchen in which it is a pleasure to work. Lower hall opens into laundry and utility-room equipped with Bendix Extra toilet and shower. Full basement, hot-air furnace, garage. This house is very attractive, and is located on a quiet road amongst lovely trees, with one acre of parkland. Price includes wall-to-wall carpets and Bendix. Taxes $75. Price $10,500
Mr. Roberts

H. G. DALBY & Co., Ltd.
634 VIEW STREET PHONE E 6241

KING REALTY B 2131

Revenue—15 Rooms $16,000 Full Price
With revenue of $205 plus a large self contained suite for owner. It has three complete sets of plumbing and extra toilet. Full basement with Oil-O-Matic heating. Two nice lots on corner, nicely landscaped This is a very good building and in an excellent location. Terms.
See Hugh M. Roberts; Eves., G 6948, or Sidney 289-W.

KING REALTY
1233 GOVERNMENT STREET
Member of the Real Estate Board

Marigold
A new, well-built, compact bungalow of 5 rooms, on high ground with southern exposure, in a nice district not too far out. Entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, dining-room. Modern cabinet kitchen wired for range. Two nice bedrooms and 4-piece Pembroke bathroom Full cement basement, drive-in garage. Duroid roof and insulated. This will sell quickly at $3,750 down and the balance $25 per month $6850

Hagar & Swayne Ltd.
VIEW AT BROAD G 4121-2-3
Evenings: E 4757.
Member Real Estate Board of Victoria

87 HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued)

THE B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY LIMITED

Value Plus 3 Bedrooms Oil Hot Water
A matured family home, in beautiful condition in a high location among the oaks. Vestibule and two-piece powder room 17'x21' living-room, cove ceilings, tile fireplace, full dining-room, large bright kitchen, utility, 2 good bedrooms, 4-piece Pembroke bath. One bedroom up. Full basement, Esso Oil Hot-water heating, extra toilet, copper piping, wired for range, large porcelain electric hot-water tank, sprinkler system in lawn, separate double garage, taxes $98.36. This home has EVERYTHING for your convenience and comfort, and yet is very reasonablly priced at (terms as low as $3000 down if desired) $9950
Exclusive listing, please ask for Mr. W. O. Cameron.

Close In
Good looking two-story frame house situated on an apartment site, 120 x 120, in very fair condition. Partly furnished. Vacant. Should be easily rented should purchaser desire it. Price, including some $700 worth of furniture, is, only $6450

Beacon Hill Park
Attractive semi-bungalow quite near the park. Six rooms, including two bedrooms and a den down. Bathroom. Two bedrooms and space for extra bathroom up. In excellent condition. New coal automatic hot-air furnace. Insulated. Duroid roof. A lot of living space for only $8500
Please ask for Mr. C. R. V. Bagshawe

Gorge
$1500 DOWN, buys a cosy four-room bungalow on a small lot. The full price is $4100

James Bay
A five-room bungalow, floors insulated, only a few steps. Close to bus, store, beach and park. Price $5500

Gorge
Three rooms, a very lovely garden with most every fruit. Pool. Price includes all furniture $3500
Please ask for Mr. Heine.

922 GOVERNMENT ST. G 4115
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A. BERNARD & CO. LIMITED G 9335
We Appreciate YOUR Listings. Please Phone Us for Prompt Attention.

THREE NEW SELECTIONS FROM OUR OAK BAY FILES

North of Avenue
Yes, this lovely well-built four-year-old stucco bungalow is situated North of the Avenue in the midst of a lovely residential locale. Home comprises entrance and through hall gracious living-room with fireplace, guest-size dining-room, electric cabinet kitchen, two well-appointed and good-size bedrooms and four-piece Pembroke bathroom. HARDWOOD floors THROUGHOUT. Full high cement basement with drive-in garage, gas hot-water tank and OIL-O-MATIC furnace. Lovely grounds. Full price only $12,600

Off Central Avenue
You can have immediate possession of this well-built stucco bungalow in one of the lovely Oak Bay locations. Good-size living-room, dining-room, cabinet kitchen wired for electric range, two bedrooms and Pembroke bathroom. Hardwood floors. Full cement basement with OIL-O-MATIC heating system. Separate garage. Substantial mortgage available at easy monthly payments. Full price $9950

South of the Avenue
Priced to sell, this fine stucco bungalow could be just the thing you are looking for.. Comprising nice living-room, family-size dining-room, cabinet kitchen, tiled Pembroke bathroom, THREE bedrooms and den No basement, but a large utility room and small furnace room with oil hot-water heating plant. Separate garage and well laid out grounds. And the price is only $9450

A. BERNARD & CO. LIMITED
Member Real Estate Board of Victoria
629 FORT STREET PHONE G 9335
Evenings: G 9083, G 8806, G 7350

Oak Bay South of the Avenue Modern 5-Room Bungalow
LARGE LIVING-ROOM WITH FIREplace, dining-room, hardwood floors, Matic heating, fully insulated. Full cement basement with enough room for rumpus room, four-piece bathroom. Laundry tubs. Separate garage. Nice secluded lot. PRICE $9950
Terms
Evenings Mr. Kranen, Phone G 7354.

LEACH and SPARKS
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VICTORIA REALTY
652 FISGARD STREET
Masonic Building across from the Bay
Phone E 4194

James Bay Possession January 1st
Seven-room semi-bungalow, extra plumbing, new Duroid roof. Insulated. For quick sale $6900
With terms
Mr. Christensen; Evenings, E 8496.

87 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

1456 Gladstone Ave.

Six-room bungalow, built 35 years ago, cream siding exterior. Reception hall to living-room with fireplace, dining-room, three bedrooms and large family kitchen, gas is laid in. Basement, Oil-O-Matic furnace—laundry tubs and separate garage, large lot, high location. A natural to duplex. To close and estate we offer this home with immediate possession for only $6300

Call Cliff Green; Eves., G 2635 (625-C)

Oak Bay

A grand home of eight lovely rooms situated only a stone's throw from the business section. On the ground floor is a cosy den with fireplace, sunny conservatory, spacious living-room with fireplace and dining-room with paneled walls and beamed ceiling. Oak floors. Pass pantry to kitchen, wired for range. Washroom with toilet, open staircase to three dandy bedrooms and two-piece bath with separate toilet upstairs. Basement has extra finished room. Hot-water heating unit and laundry tubs. Separate garage. Nice lot. Really a beautiful home. $3,000 down. Full price $10,500

Call Stan Evans; Eves., G 8286 (632-O)

N.H.A. — N.H.A.
Brand New
6 Rooms—Full Basement

This new six-room bungalow in a nice part of the city offers the best buying we have seen for a long while. Entrance porch and through hall. Beautiful living-room 15 ft. 2 ins. x 17 ft. 6 in. with fireplace; three bed-bedrooms, two of these are 12 x 12, and one is 8 x 12. Nice kitchen with tiled sink, wired for electric range. Guest-size dinette. Maple floors throughout house. Full basement with fireproof drive-in garage. House insulated. Furnace piped to all rooms. Large N.H.A. mortgage which can be assumed or paid off. Full price on terms $9075

Call Johnny James; Eves., B 6515.

Cute - N - Cosy

This nice white siding bungalow is the ideal thing for a retired couple. Nice district, a little way from town on a bus stop. Close to the water, set in pretty parklike grounds. Entrance through hall, large living-room with fireplace, two nice bedrooms, one twin-size one with clothes closet. A dream cabinet kitchen, dinette, three-piece bath, garage, workshop. All for the full price of $5250

Terms can be arranged.

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Most attractive rough cast white stucco four-year-old bungalow. Centrally located. Immaculate condition outside and in. Wired for electric range. Venetian blinds, oak floors, double plumbing. Basement spotless with two rooms. Separate garage. Lovely garden lot. FULL PRICE $9950 or near offer

Call Mr. Le Boutillier.
OFFICE B 2197 HOME E 3883

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Move Before Xmas

If you want a well-built home with a striking appearance, Colonial style in a setting which adds charm and distinction. See this one. Splendid family home or excellent revenue property with THREE BEDROOMS and three possible suites. A natural tourist guest house. The owner can give immediate possession.

$3,000 or more cash handles

Full Price $8950

This valuable property can also be purchased beautifully furnished for another $1,000.

Mr. Ludlow, B4315; Mr. Wright, G7960
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1712 DOUGLAS ST., Opp. "The Bay"

Up and Down Duplex

STADACONA AND FORT ST. AREA SNAP AT $7350

Five-room suite down, four-room suite up. Each suite complete and self-contained; vacant Jan. 1, 1951. Definitely worth investigating.

No. 785

Near Jubilee Hospital

6½-ROOM BUNGALOW, LARGE LOT With about half cash $5250

Fine for a large family with all rooms on main floor. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room with built-in buffet, three bedrooms and one small room, bathroom, large kitchen with electric range, electric refrigerator included; part cement basement with furnace; fruit trees, berries; large garden space.

SWINERTON & CO.

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Established 1889

6 Beautiful Rooms

This is one of the most beautiful modern homes you can buy. Four-and-one-half miles from town on 10-mile point. It's perfect! You be the judge! Large modern kitchen with EVERYTHING. Large living-room with fireplace, three beautiful bedrooms and one special room, 20 x 18 for bedroom or whatever you wish. Floors all carpeted from wall-to-wall. Beautiful color scheme. Venetian blinds. Double garage in basement. Extra plumbing. Automatic oil heat and hot water. Lovely garden. Phone today for an appointment to see this exquisite home. An outstanding buy at $16,500

Please ask for Bill Conner.

KENT REALTY LTD.

985 VIEW STREET G 0584

87 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

RITHET—B4251

OUR 80TH YEAR

Oak Bay
Close To Beach

FOUR BEDROOMS—HOT WATER HEAT. Here is a grand family home, in an ideal location. Well built, beautifully decorated. All rooms are spacious and sunny, with A VIEW OF THE SEA. Built with a through hall, the living-room is approximately 24 feet, attractive fireplace. Dining-room is guest-size. Cabinet kitchen with tiled sink and wired for range, lots of cabinets, breakfast nook, four-piece Pembroke bathroom, two large bedrooms down and two bedrooms and boxroom upstairs. Full high basement, hot water heat to all rooms. Inlaid golden oak floors, inlaid lino. Drive-in garage. Very nice garden in lawn and expensive shrubs. Lane at rear. CLOSE TO BEACH, STORES, SCHOOL and TRANSPORTATION. Immediate possession. Some terms can be arranged. Asking price $11,500

Good Value
6 Rooms—Close In
$6300

An excellent opportunity to purchase a good home, everything is spotless. NEW DUROID ROOF INSULATED AND COMPLETELY REDECORATED. This bargain consists of a nice living-room with fireplace; large dining-room, two very nice bedrooms, a fine cabinet kitchen with new cabinet work, Pembroke bath with separate toilet. Full high basement with laundry trays. A FINE EXTRA BEDROOM WITH TILE FLOOR. H.A. heat to all rooms. Nice lot with separate garage, taxes $72. Close to High School. NOT ONE PENNY TO SPEND ON THIS HOME. EVERYTHING IS COMPLETE. Immediate possession. Price $6300

Oak Bay
Shoal Bay—Oil Heating
Sea View
6 Rooms on One Floor

This spacious bungalow with UNOBSTRUCTED SEA VIEW AND THE OLYMPIC MOUNTAINS FORMING A BACKGROUND is the last word in comfort and convenience. There is a gracious receiving hall with double French doors opening into a charm-living-room with large view picture windows. An attractive fireplace with pastel-colored tiles, a full guest-size dining-room (there is also a beautiful view from this room). The kitchen is a dream, very well planned with lots of beautifully finished cabinets (heavy range wiring), breakfast space, three fine bedrooms with lots of cupboards, four-piece Pembroke bathroom fitted with expensive fixtures (pedestal basin) and large mirror OAK FLOORS THROUGHOUT. Cove ceilings and very tastefully decorated. INSULATED. Full high basement, fitted for Bendix equipment. Expensive OIL-O-MATIC HOT-AIR HEATING WITH AIR CONDITIONER. Car space with overhead doors. Copper pipe. Duroid roof. These are but a few of the outstanding features of this grand home. Ideal location, AND THE VIEW CANNOT BE OBSTRUCTED. Immediate possession. Terms can be arranged. Asking price $14,700

Rithet Consolidated, Ltd.

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Evenings:
Mr. Heppell, B 1878; Mr. Lovitt, G 6888
Mr. Belcher, G 3594.

STEWART CLARK & Co.
Call G 1011, G 1933

Oak Bay
Low Down Payment

Two-year-old well-built six-room stucco bungalow in new condition, has receiving and through hall, living-room and dining-room separated by double French doors giving about 30 feet of living space, modern built-in kitchen with tiled sink and dining area, two twin-size bedrooms and one 9 x 12 which would double as a den, Pembroke bathroom with pedestal basin. Full daylight basement, garage, heat piped to all rooms (steel furnace), gas, insulated, storage water heater, Duroid roof. Immediate possession. Very easy terms to reliable party. Full price $10,750

Oil-O-Matic Heating
$2500 Cash Handles

Situated handy to bus and shopping centre, in fine condition, has entrance and through hall, 18-ft. living-room with tiled fireplace and built-ins, dining-room, cabinet kitchen, range wiring, tiled sink, inlaid lino and dining space, two bedrooms, both will take twin beds, four-piece Pembroke bathroom, oak floors and tapestry plastering. Full basement, car space, laundry, heat piped to all rooms. Stucco exterior. Immediate possession. Full Price $8750

Real Estate - Mortgage - Insurance
314 PEMBERTON BUILDING
Evenings, Mr. Custance, E 7930.

GILLESPIE HART & CO. LTD.

A Really Good Buy

Fairfield. Six-room stucco bungalow about 12 years old. Large living-room and sun room, oil automatic hot water heated, three bedrooms. Nice little secluded garden $8950

See Mr. Edwards; Eves., B 2929.

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LTD.
Established 1911.
611 FORT STREET PHONE G 1181
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LAND REGISTRY ACT

Section 161

IN THE MATTER OF Part, (10 feet frontage) of Lot 15 and Part (45 feet frontage) of Lot 17, of Suburban Lot 9, VICTORIA CITY.

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 4700-C to the above mentioned lands in the name of Janet Orr and bearing date the 3rd day of August, 1898.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue in the name of Janet Orr a Duplicate Certificate of Absolute title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

ANY PERSON having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED this 16th day of November, 1950, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

A. HOWARD, Deputy Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

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EXPENSIVE, PRACTICALLY NEW (3 Months Old).

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Also including, in part: Beautiful Two-tone (cerise and silver) 3-Piece Chesterfield Suite, two almost new 3-Piece Chesterfield Suites, period style Chesterfields, late model Combination Radio and Gramophone, Sewing Machines, a number of good Carpets, Hall and Stair Carpeting, pretty almost new 9-Piece Dining (Dinette) Suite, 5-Piece Duncan Phyfe Dinette Suite, beautiful Walnut Bedroom Suite of 6 pieces, other choice Bedroom Furniture, Cots, Toys, Coal and Wood Ranges, Circulating Heaters, Parlor Stoves, Boys', Ladies' and Gents' Bicycles, Furs (to be sold for an estate), expensive Diamond Ring Set.

CHINA—CUT GLASS

Approx. 100-Piece Dinner Set, Cut Glass, Water Jugs, Fruit Bowls, Tumblers, Decanters, etc., Gaby Apartment Electric Washer, late model Maytag Electric Washer, good Milner Safe and Stand, Wash Basins, Ice Refrigerators, etc.

Basement Sale—10.30

USEFUL

FURNITURE

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Watch Tuesday Papers for Particulars of these large and interesting sales.

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Notice to Contractors

SEALED TENDERS for the General Contract, including all trades, endorsed "Tender for Additions and Extensions to the High School, Esquimalt, B.C." will be received by the Secretary-Treasurer, The Board of School Trustees of School District No. 61 (Greater Victoria) at or before 5 p.m. Monday, January 15th, 1951, at the School Board offices, 1047 Joan Crescent, Victoria, B.C.

Working drawings, specifications, and form of tender will be available at and after Noon of Monday, December 11th, 1950, at the office of the Architects, James & Polson, 510 Royal Trust Building, 612 View Street, Victoria, B.C.

Persons tendering are hereby notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form provided.

A certified cheque payable to the Owner for Ten Per Cent (10%) of the tender submitted must accompany each and every tender and shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so. On award and signing of the contract the successful tenderer shall furnish to the Board of School Trustees a Surety Bond equal to Fifty Per Cent (50%) of the contract price. On receipt of this Bond the certified cheque submitted with the tender will be returned.

The Board of School Trustees and the Department of Education reserve the right to reject any or all tenders without explanation. No tender having any qualifying clauses whatsoever will be considered.

A deposit of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) is required for each set of plans and specifications and will be refunded upon their return in good condition.

JAMES & POLSON, M.M., R.A.I.C.,
Architects,
For Board of School Trustees,
School District No. 61,
Victoria B.C.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 8th day of December, 1950.

CITY OF VICTORIA

REFERENDUM

on

Sale of Groceries After Six o'Clock p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Victoria that the Municipal Council has resolved that the opinion of the said electors be taken by ballot at the time of the holding of the annual municipal election on the following question, namely:

"Are you in favor of the by-law being amended to permit the sale of groceries after six o'clock on recognized business days?"

AND THAT I, accordingly desire the said electors to be present at the building known as the "Victoria Public Market Building," Cormorant Street, in the City of Victoria, at the time of the holding of the said election, namely, between the hours of NINE o'clock a.m. and SEVEN o'clock p.m. on THURSDAY, the FOURTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1950, for the purpose of voting by ballot on the said question.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 5th day of December, 1950.

M. P. HUNTER,
Returning Officer.

Announcements

A salvage collection for Fairfield, Fernwood and Mt. Tolmie. E 3413. ***

At the regular meeting of Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1, on Tuesday, Dec. 12, the annual birthday banquet will be held at 6.30 p.m. in the dining hall. During the meeting there will be a roll call of officers and members. ***

Skilful Barber Service (a habit). Estevan Avenue Barber Shop, 2524 Estevan. ***

Drs. Bonnell and Roberts announce that Dr. Jack Edmison is now associated with them in their X-Ray practice. ***

The Mayfair, 1011 Broad, will be serving Christmas dinner. Make your reservations now. ***

Carol tea, Victoria Musical Art Society, Memorial Hall, Saturday, Dec. 16, 3 to 5.30 p.m. Tickets obtainable from members of executive. For reservations, phone G 7520 or E 7718. ***

Planning A Party? Are you planning a Christmas, New Year's Eve of New Year's party? Then call us. We are prepared to cater anywhere. You can do your share of holiday entertaining without the extra work that steals your own time for fun. When we cater for intimate social affairs or large receptions, the food is always exceptional, the service uniformly excellent. Lougheed's Banquet Club, 1106 Douglas Street. Phone E 0933 or G 4479. ***

The Sirocco Supper Club is now accepting reservation for banquets, weddings and all other functions, private or public. Phone E 9221. ***

Victoria Theatre Guild presents he mystery drama, "The Shop At Sly Corner," Dec. 11 to 16, 8.15 p.m., at their theatre, 805 Langham Court. Tickets $1 at Fletcher's. ***

160 blind men and women in Greater Victoria need your help. Vote Yes on the TAX EXEMPTION BY-LAW on election day. ***

Arts Centre of Greater Victoria Gallery, 823 Broughton Street. Special opening "Graphic Arts" exhibition, sponsired by National Gallery. Public, members and students invited. Time: 3.30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 12. Speaker: Mr. Stuart Keate, publisher, Victoria Daily Times. Gallery hours: 11 to 5.30, Tuesday through Saturday, and Saturday evening, 7.30 to 9.30. Public 25c, members and students free. ***

Bargain Shop Specials—Rayon crepe stockings, first quality, full-fashioned, regular 89c, special 49c. Boys' sets: Coat, hat and leggings, sizes 2, 3 and 4, very special, $7.50; also toys at low prices. Bargain Shop, 719 View Street. ***

Alcoholics Anonymous. Confidential assitance on drink problems. P.O. Box 1, Victoria, B.C.

Hear Ye! With the Vibraphone. No batteries. $15. Vibraphone Agency, 745 Yates, E 0233 ***

Tonight at 8.15—University Extension Association lecture. Miss Phyllis Baxendale speaking on "Austria and Germany," at the Victoria College-Normal School Auditorium. ***

Victoria Prayer Group, Healing studies, Wednesday, Memorial Hall, 3 p.m. All welcome. ***

Frank W. Fraser, Optometrist, wishes to announce that his office will be closed until Dec. 18, to attend the Educational Congress in Portland. ***

New Year's Old Time Dance, Gordon Head Community Hall, Tyndall Avenue. Buffet supper at 10.30 p.m. Scafe's Orchestra. Dancing from 12 to 4 a.m. $3.00 per couple. ***

Notice to Creditors

Estate of MARY LILLIAN MULLIGAN, Otherwise Known as Mary L. Mulligan, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the Estate of Mary Lillian Mulligan, otherwise known as Mary L. Mulligan, deceased are required to send in particulars of the same to The Royal Trust Company, 1205 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., Executors of the Will of the Deceased, on or before the 9th day of January, 1951, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the said Estate having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have had notice.

DATED this 11th day of December, 1950.

MESSRS. MORESBY, MORESBY & HALBERT,
548 Bastion Street,
Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for The Royal Trust Company, Executors.

NOTICE
TO
SAANICH ELECTORS

An election meeting will be held at the Auditorium, Mount View High School, Carey Road, on Thursday, December 14, 1950, at 8 p.m.

JOHN B. TRIBE,
Returning Officer.

Forbes Carey Pope, Prominent Mason, Dies In 81st Year

William Forbes Carey Pope, well-known former secretary of Victoria School Board, has died following a short illness. He was 81 years of age.

Born in Oregon City, Ore., he was one of Victoria High School's first honor students, and before joining Victoria School Board many years ago he operated a stationery business on Government Street.

Following his retirement in 1940, he made his home at Cowichan Bay. He was unmarried.

Mr. Pope was one of Victoria's oldest Masons, and the oldest past master of Vancouver and Quadra Lodge. He was also a past district deputy grand master.

He leaves three sisters, Mrs. J. M. H. Harding, Vancouver; Mrs. George Adams, Burton, Wash.; Miss Gilsie Pope, Santa Barbara, Calif., and one brother, Harold Pope, Kamloops.

Victorian Gets Work Point Post

A Victorian who joined the army as a boy of 15 has just been posted to Work Point Barracks here as an armament officer.

Lt. Maxwell Albert Rycroft will leave Ottawa Dec. 15 to take up his new posting at home.

Educated at Lampson Street, Boys' Central and Victoria High Schools, he joined the second anti-aircraft section of the B.C. Coast Artillery in 1934. During the war he was a master gunner.

Lt. Rycroft just recently completed a 15-month course in gunnery and armament in England.

Buckerfield Staff Asking Wage Boosts

A conciliation officer has been named by the Labor Relations Board in a dispute between Buckerfields Ltd. and 200 employees in Victoria, Sidney and on the mainland.

He is R. Forgie of Vancouver.

The employees, represented by the United Packinghouse Workers of America, are seeking wage increases, union security, changes in hours of work, and a pension plan.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chief Engineer, Winnipeg, Manitoba, until two o'clock, Central Standard Time in the afternoon of Thursday, December 21st, 1950, for the following works:

Construction of a 6 foot by 6 foot reinforced concrete box culvert, 142 feet long overall, and the elimination, by filling, of the standard timber trestle bridge, 300 feet long, 37 feet high at mile 30.3 Cowichan subdivision.

Installation of 36-inch diameter concrete pipe culvert at mile 20.4 Cowichan subdivision.

Approximately 250 cubic yards of concrete, and 17,000 cubic yards of filling are involved.

Plans, specifications and form of contract may be seen, and form of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Winnipeg; District Engineers at Edmonton and Vancouver; and Division Engineers at Calgary and Victoria, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied by the railway and accompanied by an accepted cheque drawn on a chartered bank in Canada in favour of Canadian National Railways, equal to five per cent of the total amount of the tender.

No bid bonds will be accepted with tenders for this work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. R. McMILLAN,
Vice-President.

Winnipeg, Manitoba,
December 11th, 1950.

Notice to Creditors

GIDEON TINLIN, formerly of 1463 Finlayson Street, Victoria, B.C., DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor at 1205 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., before the 12th day of January, 1951, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

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Canadians In Action In Korean Coastal Raid

Canadian destroyers led Australian and U.S. ships into Chinnampo, port of Pyongyang, North Korea, where they bombarded troops and supplies of Chinese Red army. Here, crew of Cayuga is shown busily loading guns.—(SNS Photo)

Esquimalt Holds Christmas Party

Forty children of Esquimalt municipal workers were entertained Saturday at a Christmas party held in the Municipal Hall under the auspices of the Esquimalt Municipal Employees' Association.

Presents were distributed, candy and ice cream were provided and movies were shown.

Reeve A. I. Thomas and other members of the municipal council attended and during the course of the party, the reeve presented a retirement gift to Police Commissioner William Barker, who is not seeking re-election this year.

Mr. Barker has served as municipal police commissioner for the last 11 years.

Army Officers On Visit From Command

Maj. A. M. Stirton, public relations officer from headquarters, Western Army Command, was in Victoria today, accompanied by Lieut. J. E. De Guire, chief of the photo section for the command.

The visit is part of a familiarization tour for Lieut. De Guire, recently appointed to this command after serving at army headquarters, Ottawa.

The two visited Work Point Barracks and conferred with Lt.-Col. A. C. Perron before leaving for Vancouver this afternoon.

They will go from there to Fort Lewis, Wash., and on to Calgary and Lethbridge before returning to command headquarters in Edmonton.

Delegates Named To Teachers' Convention

Seven delegates were elected Friday to represent the Provincial Normal School at the Western Canada Student Teachers' Conference to be held in Victoria Jan. 22 to 25 inclusive.

The conference will consist of seven sessions and each delegate from the Victoria School will have a vote in one session. Chosen by the student body in an afternoon assembly were: Miss Audrey Palmer, Mrs. McFarlane, Mr. Murray Mackintosh, Mr. Jack Wallis, Mr. Kenneth Hurn, Mr. Walter Hamm and Mr. Irving Simms.

Traffic Jam When Truck Runs Wild

A traffic jam occurred Saturday night on the Langford stretch of the Island Highway when a driverless logging truck being towed went out of control.

According to R.C.M.P. a logging vehicle owned by Highway Sawmills Ltd., being towed by another truck in charge of Wallis E. Pears, 1428 Hillside Avenue, careened across the highway into a parked car and then crashed into a telephone pole. Impact snapped the pole, bringing wires down on the highway and snarling traffic.

Extensive damage resulted to both truck and parked car.

BEEKEEPERS MEET

Regular meeting of the Vancouver Island division of the B.C. Honey Producers' Association will be held in Prince Robert House Wednesday, Dec. 13, at 8.

John Cornthwaite Heads Machinists

Members of Local No. 3, National Union of Machinists, Fitters and Helpers, have re-elected John A. Cornthwaite as president for the forthcoming year by unanimous vote.

C. Connors Jr. was re-elected first vice-president of the local and Edward Tovey made second vice-president.

William Ashworth was re-elected secretary-treasurer, and James Clark was returned as recording secretary.

Ken Harrison was re-elected a trustee for a three-year term, Ken Harison was re-elected warden, and Ron McDonald was chosen as conductor.

Gale Lashes Hongkong

HONGKONG (AP) — Seven planes were damaged Saturday by a gale which lashed Hongkong's Kai Tak airport. The 90-mile-an-hour gusts also forced a plane carrying Hongkong's Governor Sir Alexander Grantham to land at Manila rather than here.

MILITARY ORDERS

Canadian Scottish (Princess Mary's) Regiment, Monday, Dec. 11, pay parade, 20.00 hours.

75TH (B.C.) H.A.A.

The 75th H.A.A. Regiment is Victoria's heavy ack-ack unit.

On Dec. 16 the regiment will hold a smoker. Exact times have not been revealed.

There will be a pay parade for batteries during next week. Band of the R.C.A. Reserve Force will entertain the children at the Solarium Dec. 13 at 3 in the afternoon.

Officers report that the motor transport section is in a vigorous training session at the present time.

Meat Ration Cut In Britain

LONDON (CP)—A 22 per cent cut in the small fresh-meat rations to British consumers took effect today. Corned beef was put on the market as a substitute for the loss of fresh meat from the ration.

At the time the cut was announced earlier this month, the Food Ministry stated the reduction was the direct result of failure of Britain and Argentina to agree on prices to be paid for Argentine beef.

The fresh meat ration was increased 10 per cent last August to one shilling, six pence (about 23 cents) worth a week.

Baby Flies 5,000 Miles

Two-year-old Elizabeth Ann Hughes flew into Winnipeg from Ireland and made a neat landing in the arms of her new brother, Brian Hughes of Roblin, Man. Also on hand were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes, who decided to adopt the tiny colleen when they saw her on a Dublin visit six months ago.—(CP Photo)

Snowy Election

MONTREAL (BUP) — Montrealers turned out on ice-covered streets into a budding snowstorm today to elect a mayor and 57 councillors who will stay in office for the next three years.

Nightmare Of Death For Retreating U.S. Marines

(Jack MacBeth, 29-year-old Toronto-born AP war correspondent, came out of Koto Sunday with U.S. marines and infantry and a group of British marines. He was the only wire-service man participating in the fight through Chinese Red encirclement.)

By JACK MACBETH

WITH U.S. MARINES WITHDRAWING FROM CHANGJIN RESERVOIR, Korea (AP) — American Marines walked out of 12 days of freezing hell Sunday, full of fight after a gory nightmare of death in Korea's icy mountains.

The U.S. 1st Marine Division was rolling slowly into the northeastern Korea plains of Hamhung. The men's eyes and bearded faces, their tattered parkas and the strangely careless way they carried their rifles, showed the strain.

These thousands of leathernecks did it on guts. They turned their encirclement into one of the fightingest retreats in military history. It was the longest pullback in Marine records—nearly 50 torturous miles.

They broke out of a death trap sprung by many thousands of Red Chinese and Koreans and converted what looked like almost certain disaster into a moral triumph if not a military victory.

For five days they matched guts and wits against Chinese mass tactics. Neither was enough to win. They had to pull out.

Five days after leaving Yudam, the Marines reached Hagaru, at the south end of the reservoir.

Elements of a 3rd Marine regiment were under attack at Koto, 10 road miles to the south.

Dec. 7 the Hagaru Marines jumped off southward towards Koto. For 24 hours they fought one of the bloodiest battles of the Korean war.

I was in Koto when they came in. It was a gruesome sight—wounded men with their blood frozen to their skins; their clothes stiff with ice; grotesque dead men lying across trailers and stretchers; live men stumbling along, grimacing from frostbite, using their rifles as crutches.

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PRINCE, SISTER CUT OUT OF LATE SHAH'S $395,000 ESTATE

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Persian prince and his sister have learned they will not share in the $359,000 estate of their grandfather, the deposed Shah of Persia.

A New York court's decision on the distribution of a trust fund established by the late Sultan Ahmed Kadjar was received by Prince Hassein Kadjar and Princess Guity Kadjar.

The Shah died in exile in France in 1930.

Under the surrogate court ruling, the principal of the trust fund will go to the four living children of the Shah's mother, Queen Malekeh-Djahan, who died in 1947.

"It is about what we expected," said the prince who is in the sawdust business here.

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Garden City Driving School Uses Dual Control Austin A40

Mr. Peter Tweedie of Garden City Driving School has recently purchased an Austin A 40 fitted with dual controls. In this picture Mr. Tweedie is seen receiving the keys of his new Austin from Mr. E. Wills of Thomas Plimley Ltd. . . . Purchasers of Austin Cars who need driving instruction will appreciate this new feature as Mr. Tweedie will personally be available to give tuition. Garden City Driving School is located at 1107 Cook Street, at Fort, next to the Royal Bank of Canada.

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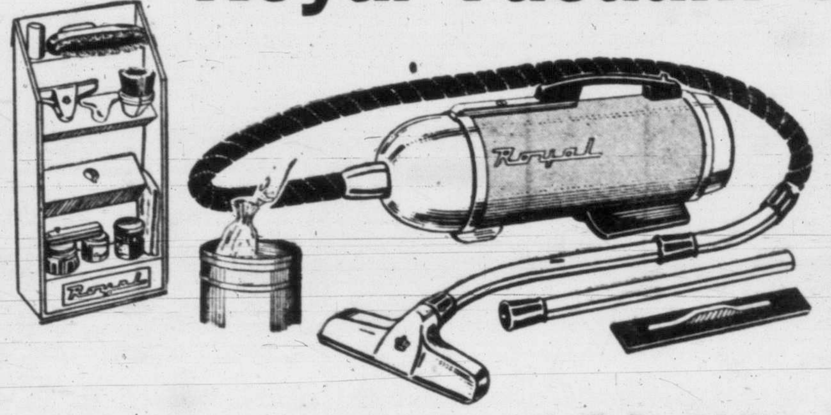

For Easier Cleaning in the Home!

Here's an exciting, new cleaner . . . a Royal, of course, that collects the dirt in a clean, white paper bag which you simply toss out after each use! Think of the convenience . . . think of the time and work you save . . . think of the efficiency and long service Royal vacuum cleaners are noted for, then plan to see this modern cylinder-type cleaner tomorrow, at EATON'S!

A demonstration, either in EATON'S or in your home, does not obligate you in any way. Complete **109.50**

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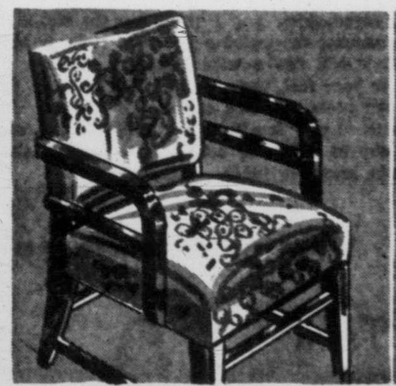
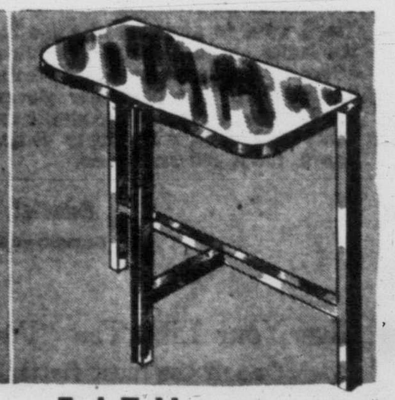
Gifts The Whole Family Will Enjoy





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Special, each **22.95**

Utility Stools

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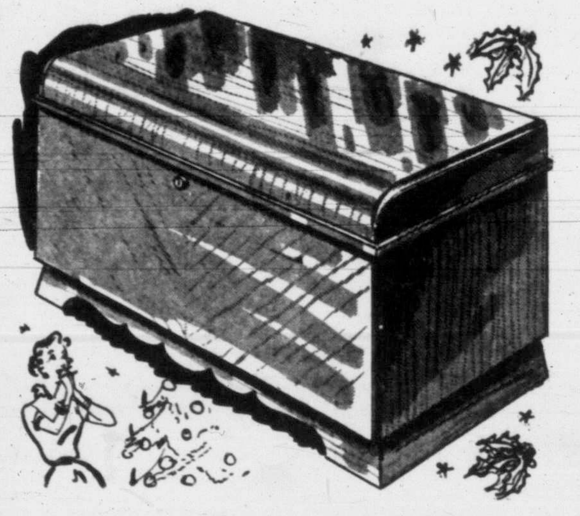


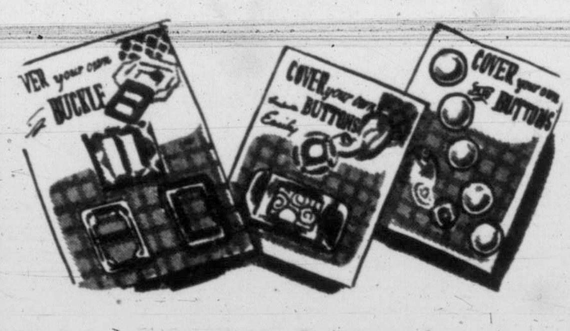
For "Her" Happy Christmas

Give a Cedar Chest

A beautiful piece of furniture . . . superbly practical! . . . A gift to be given with pride, received with joy. Designed in the popular waterfall style . . . with veneers in either bleached or natural mahogany finishes over three-quarter-inch red Tennessee cedar. Complete with automatic pop-up trays, double interlined and mitred corners!

BLEACHED MAHOGANY FINISH, outside measures 20x18x46 inches.	64.50
NATURAL MAHOGANY FINISH, outside measures 22x18x46 inches.	67.50
OTHER CEDAR	49.50 94.50

EATON'S—DRAPERIES, SECOND FLOOR



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EATON'S—NOTIONS, MAIN AND LOWER MAIN FLOORS

Make Your Own Fireside Socks

With Lambs' Wool Slipper Soles

Knit your own socks, then stitch them onto these ready-made real leather soles! Finished with soft lambs' wool insoles and half-inch coloured borders with holes already punched to make sewing easier!

For children, pair **1.19** For misses, pair **1.69**

For women, pair **1.98**

INSTRUCTIONS ATTACHED TO EVERY PAIR

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1-lb. box **1.50** 2-lb. box **3.00**

3-lb. box **4.50**

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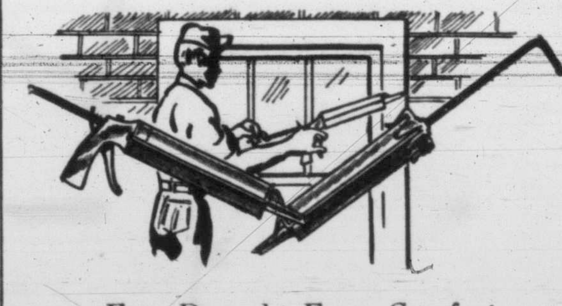

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Make your home a better place to live this winter! . . . Wherever you want to shut out dirt, dust, moisture and draughts . . . inside or outside . . . you'll use quick, easy, clean caulking compound! Can be applied around windows, door frames, foundations, chimneys, seal openings and cracks . . . comes in handy cartridge form and is applied with a gun.

QUICK-ACTING FRICTION GUN, each **3.95**

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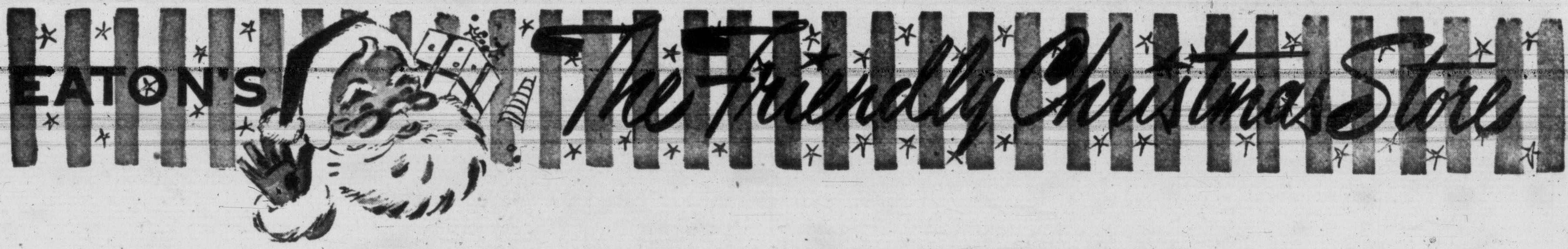

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By Nationally Known Makers

For Christmas giving . . . choose a beautiful, long-wearing slip by one of these noted makers . . . Names you can count on for well-proportioned fit, for soft washable fabric, and careful seam finishing. Your choice of rayon crepe or satin in many new lingerie shades.

"Kaybar" — Tailored style slip with gored skirt and well-shaped bust. Sizes 34 to 40 in white only. **2.95**
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"Mary Barron"—A slip for the short-waisted figure. Styled with lace trimming and a well-shaped bust. Half sizes, 31½ to 41½. **3.95**

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"Su-lette" — Made of fine quality rayon crepe and styled with a lace trim, top and bottom. Sizes 32 to 40 in white only. **4.00**

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After Five Come the Bewitching Hours . . . The hours when fashions are their most festive and vivacious! . . .

For your bewitching hours this holiday season perhaps you'll choose a variation of the bare-top theme . . . a new treatment of the taut, narrow look . . . or perhaps a sophisticated cocktail satin. All exquisitely detailed to catch and reflect the brilliance of the occasion, the excitement of the season!

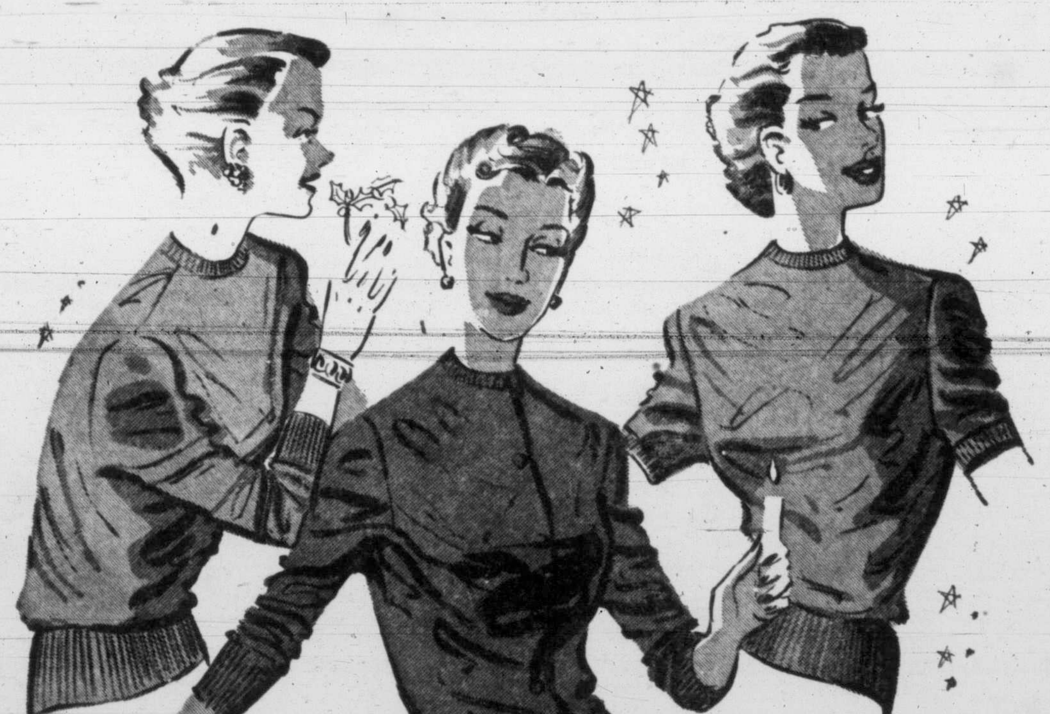
We have sketched two dresses to entice you to see this beautiful new collection at EATON'S!

from **25.00** to **39.95**

EATON'S—DRESSES, FASHION FLOOR

Sweaters To Fill Your Surprise Package For Her!

Be an angel this Christmas and put a lovely hug-me sweater under her tree! EATON'S has gathered a collection of cosy, comforting little warmers . . . all thistledown-soft, in colours like the rainbow. We show you three here by Jantzen, made of "Kharafleece" (wool) with a cashmere finish, and treated to resist moths and wrinkles. Our own surprise package contains many more!

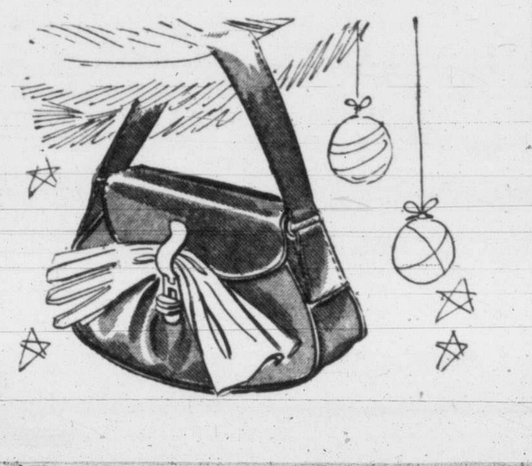


"Vanity" . . . a long-sleeved pullover with high round neckline and firm-fitting waistband. Sizes 14 to 20. **7.95**

"Hostess" . . . a smooth-fitting cardigan with inside ribbon trim and pearly buttons, dyed to match. Sizes 14 to 20. **8.95**

"Honey" . . . a short-sleeved pullover, with double rolled neckline. Sizes 14 to 20. **5.95**

EATON'S—SPORTSWEAR, FASHION FLOOR



New! Smart, Convenient, Too! . . . the

Glove-Minder Handbag

You'll want to give one of these handsome bags to all the ladies on your list! And at this low price you can afford to choose several . . . all featuring the new glove-minder clasp that holds her gloves securely! Roomy pouch style . . . in durable plastic calf, nicely lined with moire and fitted with zipper compartment. In black, brown, navy, red and green.

Special, each **4.95**

EATON'S—HANDBAGS, MAIN FLOOR

EATON'S Walking Shoes Set the Pace for Comfort

Sure-footed, sure-fashion . . . these are the shoes that mean more comfort for walking jaunts in town or in the country! EATON'S has a wide collection of shoes that really pamper your feet, with good fit, firm support, easy-walking cuban heels . . . and smart shoe designs! Here we have sketched only two from this collection . . . one a soft calf pump in brown or red . . . the other a classic calf oxford in brown or black. Sizes 5 to 9.

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EATON'S—WOMEN'S SHOES, FASHION FLOOR

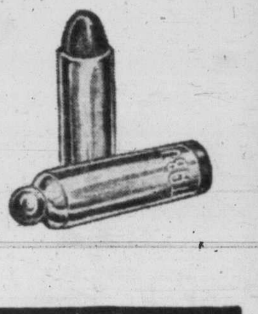
Give Your Lips The "Forbidden" Fragrance . . . "Tabu"

One of the most flattering, fragrant colours lips can wear!

Singapore—sparkling true red for every occasion.
Havana—exotic red whispering of soft, romantic blue.
Nassau—red with rose undertone, lovely with new green shades.
Barcelona—vivacious red.
Bolivia—dark, dramatic red.
Rio—laden with warm fuchsia.
Honolulu — accent for smart navies and blacks.
Argentine—sultry deep red.
Bermuda—light red, lovely with pastels.

Regular size **1.75**
De luxe, with perfume **2.75**

EATON'S—COSMETICS, MAIN FLOOR



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Weather Forecast
Sunny intervals tomorrow. Continuing mild. Winds light. Low tonight 45, high tomorrow 53.

MAN, WOMAN FEARED DROWNED IN COMOX WHARF ACCIDENT

Marine 'Trap' Toll Over 6,000

Force Breaks Out To Plains For Sea Evacuation

From AP and UP

The U.S. Marine Corps today revealed the terrific cost of its desperate and successful fight to break out of a Chinese trap in northeast Korea.

More than 30 per cent of the trapped force were casualties, implying 6,000 to 7,000 casualties in the three infantry regiments making up the division, although the Marine Corps gave no specific figure.

The Marine communique, issued in Washington, said: "All were confident that the move down to Hungnam would be completed in successful and orderly manner with the bulk of supplies and equipment intact.

Tanks bringing up the rear of the 1,000-vehicle American break-through column rolled across the coastal plains toward Hamhung and a possible Dunkerque evacuation of all 60,000 United Nations troops in northeast Korea.

Gen. MacArthur returned from a day-long inspection of both Korean fronts. He said he still had an "undefeated command of high morale and marked battle efficiency."

Trio Faces Car Theft Charge

Stopped by police ten minutes after a car had been reported stolen, three youths appeared in city police court today charged with taking the vehicle without the consent of the owner, B. Ciceri, 26, Linden Avenue.

Ivor Harold Hunt pleaded guilty to the charge. Allan Edgar Todd and Frank Cross entered pleas of not guilty.

The three were remanded until tomorrow. R.C.M.P. officers found the car at the Belmont Inn.

Dutch Child, 3, Centre Of New Singapore Riots

SINGAPORE (AP) — British troops with bayonets moved into the riot-torn streets of Singapore tonight to battle fanatical mobs, stirred to a frenzy by the court fight between a Dutch mother and a Malayan nurse for custody of a white child, Maria Bertha Hertogh.

Hundreds of soldiers in trucks raced through the downtown sectors where the mobs were battling police, attacking European and overturning and burning automobiles.

Sullivan Trial

OTTAWA (CP)—Mrs. Marion Sullivan today was remanded until Thursday, Dec. 14, for preliminary hearing on a charge of murder in connection with the bludgeoning-to-death of her prominent lawyer husband.

Seamen's Union Blasted

National Body Upholds Company

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canada Labor Relations Board today struck what may prove to be a fatal blow to the once-powerful Canadian Seamen's Union.

The board ruled the Communist-dominated union, once with a membership of 6,000 in Canada's deep-sea and great lakes fleets, was no longer a trade union within the meaning of the Industrial Relations and Disputes Investigation Act and was not entitled to certification as a bargaining agent.

Diplomats Study New Peace Plan

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—Thirteen Asian and Middle East countries met behind closed doors today to consider final terms of a new Korean peace plan. They were expected to submit the plan to the political committee of the United Nations Assembly later in the day.

India's Sir Benegal Rau, leader of the peace efforts, said he still had received no word from the Chinese Communists as to whether they would accept a previous appeal to halt at the 38th Parallel.

Details of the new plan were kept secret, but informed quarters said the resolution would include an appeal for a cease-fire and probably would urge creation of a demilitarized buffer zone along the 38th Parallel, old dividing line between North and South Korea.

They 'Swab' This Deck With Shovels

Crewmen of the U.S.S. Baedong Strait, operating off North Korea, have a problem similar to that faced by millions of Americans at home recently: to clear a path through the ice and snow in order to get to work. An icy storm out of Manchuria coated the flight deck of the carrier. But soon after this picture was made, Marine Corsair fighters took off to resume their attacks against the Communists in Korea.—(Department of Defence photo from NEA-Acme)

Engineer Says Troop Train Hit On Curve

EDMONTON (CP)—John A. Leslie, division engineer of the Canadian National Railways at Kamloops, B.C., told the Board of Transport Commissioners here today the collision between the eastbound passenger train No. 2 and a troop train at Canoe River, B.C., Nov. 21, occurred on a 30-degree curve where the trains would be 550 feet apart when the engine crews could first see each other.

He was testifying at the official inquiry into the collision, which caused 21 deaths, the majority of them soldiers.

At the outset of the hearing Roderick Kerr, assistant counsel for the board, outlined the orders in summing up evidence to be presented at the inquiry. He said the eastbound passenger train, No. 2, had orders to meet a troop train at Cedarside, B.C. The troop train had orders to meet No. 2 at Gosnell, B.C.

The two points are about 20 miles apart. Canoe River, where the trains met, is just west of Cedarside.

Mr. Kerr said both train crews were running to orders.

WAR CRISIS AT A GLANCE

KOREA—Gen Douglas MacArthur returned to Tokyo from a visit to the Korean warfronts. He said Allied troops are in "excellent shape" despite recent heavy losses. More than 20,000 Marines and doughboys broke through the Changjin Reservoir trap to reach the Hamhung plain, but suffered 6,000 or more casualties. The northwest front was relatively quiet.

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WASHINGTON — Top level U.S. advisers were reported putting pressure on President Truman to declare a national emergency.

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LAKE SUCCESS — Thirteen Asiatics and Middle East countries met secretly to consider a new Korean peace plan.

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OTTAWA—Prime Minister Attlee is off on his journey back to London. He is to return to London tomorrow aboard a Stratocruiser airliner. Defence Minister Claxton announced formation of third battalions of the Royal Canadian Regiment and Royal 22nd Regiment.

Canada War Chiefs Join Europe Talks

LONDON (BUP) — Canada's top defence strategists took a quick look at the hot-cold war checkerboard today before joining defence chiefs of the 11 other Atlantic Pact powers planning a unified western European army.

Lt.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, chief of the Canadian general staff, arrived by plane Sunday from Montreal where he told reporters his main worry was settling the issue of German participation in the allied anti-aggression bulwark.

"It must be settled," he said.

Attlee Flying Back To London

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Ministers Attlee of Britain and St. Laurent of Canada shook hands goodbye today and agreed that their conversations here were "very helpful."

Attlee took off in an R.C.A.F. plane for New York and London at 2.35 p.m. E.S.T. He is due in London tomorrow morning, on another plane he will board at New York.

2 Victoria Men Die In Plunge

Dock Tragedies Sunday Morning

The death toll in Sunday accidents on the Island may rise to four tonight as naval divers from Esquimalt late today began diving operations off Comox Wharf in an effort to locate the bodies of a man and woman believed to have plunged into 60 feet of water in their car.

The navy party left here by truck in response to a request for assistance from R.C.M.P. at Courtenay. Lieut. G. S. Smedley, diving officer of the west coast, was in charge of the party.

On arrival at Comox, naval divers PO. James Connolly and LS. Julian (Rocky) Verscheres began attempts to locate the car which was seen going along the Comox wharf to hurtle off the end into the water.

Mystery surrounds the car which was reported to have gone off the wharf about 4 a.m. Sunday. Word of the accident spread quickly through the town and nearby Courtenay. However, no one in either community is reported missing.

R.C.M.P. officers at the scene said they did not know definitely if anyone was in the car.

2 VICTORIANS DROWN

Four hours earlier at Chemainus two young Victorians drowned when their car plunged off the wharf.

Dead are: Albert Cambridge Curtis, 22, 1600 Oakland Ave., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril N. Curtis.

Herman Van Dyke Jr., 22, 2555 Penrhyn Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Van Dyke.

The two local men were drowned when the 1947 Chevrolet owned by Curtis went the length of the Government Wharf at Chemainus, crashed through the guard rail at the end and plummeted into deep water of the harbor.

The Curtis car, classed as a "hot rod," was raised by two heavy towing trucks Sunday morning. Although in the water many hours, the headlights were still burning.

RECOVERED BODIES

Bodies of the two victims were taken from the water earlier by George J. Knight, diver from Nanaimo. Van Dyke, apparently rocketed through the windshield, was found some distance from the car. The body of his companion was found inside the car.

Bodies of the two were taken to the Hirst Funeral Home at Duncan where Coroner A. E. Green will hold an inquest Tuesday afternoon.

According to police, the Curtis car was involved in an accident earlier in the evening. They said the car previously had gone into the ditch and had to be dragged out.

At that time, the police said, two girls were with the two men. At the time of the fatal plunge, however, these girls were safe at a Chemainus dance hall.

FINAL ★★★★ BULLETINS

Plan German Arms Meeting

PARIS (AP)—Foreign Ministers of the 12 Atlantic Pact nations will meet in Brussels about Dec. 20 to tackle the problem of rearming Germany, a high government source said today.

General Motors Reveals Price Hikes

TORONTO (BUP)—General Motors of Canada today announced price increases averaging 4 per cent on its low-priced models for 1951. The price increases were announced for Chevrolet and Pontiac cars. A spokesman said 1951 prices for Buicks and Oldsmobiles would not be announced until Jan. 20.

Princesses May Visit Canada

OTTAWA (CP)—Both Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret have told Ross Macdonald, Speaker of the Commons, that they would like to visit Canada. Macdonald returned during the week-end from a visit to the United Kingdom, France, Italy and Switzerland.

Charles Fights Oma For Title

NEW YORK (AP)—Heavyweight champion Ezzard Charles today signed to meet Lee Oma of Buffalo in a 15-round title fight in Madison Square Garden Jan. 12.

Pyramid Test For Saskatoon

EDMONTON (CP)—Police today launched a test of the legality of the city's flourishing pyramid clubs when a Saskatoon woman appeared in court charged with conducting a lottery. Mrs. Elsie Robinson pleaded innocent and was remanded for trial until Dec. 21.

Vancouver Final Prices

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

OILS	Bid	Asked
Allied Oil	70	76
Anaconda Oil	12	15
Anglo-Canadian	450	460
A.P. Con.	37	38
Atlantic Oil	225	235
British Dominion	100	102
Calmont	73	74
Calnorth	24	--
Calvan	380	385
Central Leduc	215	218
Commoil	145	150
Commonwealth	167	185
Continental Oil	42	--
Dalhousie	30	--
Del Rio	102	--
Federated Pete.	460	--
General Pete.	475	--
Do. A	475	--
Globe Oil	47	49
Hargal Oil	9¾	10
British Empire		47
Home Oil	1350	
McDougall Segur	18	20
Mercury	12	13½
Model Oil	47	--
Okalta	173	175
Pacific Pete.	690	710
Polaris	285	--
Princess	125	130
Redwater Leaseholds	43	--
Royal Canadian	9	--
Royalite	--	1200
South Brazeau Pete.	9¾	--
Sunse Oils	36	--
Superior Oils	71	75
Vanalta	25	27
York Oil	--	24
MINES		
Bayonne Cons.	2	2½
Base Metals	40	
Bralorne	605	610
Bridge River Con.	2	2½
B.R.X. (1935)	--	5
Canuse Caribou	5	11
Congress	--	8
Cuyuni Gold	12	16
Golconda	20	--
Grandview	26	--
Grull Wihksne	2¼	2¾
Hedley Mascot	42	44
Highland Belle	86	89
Inter. C. and C.	28	31
Island Mountain	--	90
Kootenay Belle	--	60
McGillivary Creek	6	8½
Pacific Nickel	27	35
American Standard	27	30
P.E. Gold	5	--
Pioneer Gold	175	180
Premier Border	7	7½
Privateer	6¼	7½
Quatsino Copper	13½	14½
Red Hawke	4	5½
Reeves McDonald	--	390
Reno Gold	3	4
Sheep Creek	127	130
Silbak Premier	28	30
Silver Ridge	3	--
Silver Standard	201	203
Taku River	6	10
Taylor Bridge	18	22
Utica	3	4
Vananda	9	11
Wellington	2¼	2½
Western Exploration	65	
Western Uranium	96	100
INDUSTRIALS		
Alberta Distillers	177	185
B.C. Forest Products	460	--
Burrard Drydock A	750	--
Canadian Western Lumber	650	6¾
Capital Estates	2100	220
Coast Breweries	400	--
H. R. MacMillan A	1525	1600
Pacific Coyle	90	--
Powell River	--	6175
Sun Publishing	1975	--
Westminster Paper A	900	--
Do. B	5⅛	--

5-Year Driving Licenses In Effect Jan. 1

The provincial government has passed an order for proclamation Jan. 1 effecting five-year drivers' licences.

The change will bring all licenses, except for minors, on a five-year basis at a cost of $5.

Minors' licenses will be issued for the length of time before the 21st birthday, at a cost of $1 per year. An 18-year-old would be granted a three-year license at a cost of $3 and a new five-year license to be obtained on the 21st birthday.

The fine for not having a current driver's license will be boosted $20 to the $25 total.

Passenger cars will be given validation tabs for license plates, while commercial vehicles, trailers, dealers, farm vehicles and motor cycles will receive new plates.

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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

Hollywood

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Fancys Honor 108 — Lamp Girl 118
Invariable 118 — Delthorn 113
Mrs Jiggs 118 — Singasong 113
Alfalfa 108 — Twilight Blues 113
Miss Terri 110 — Lady Lynn 118
Wings Girl 113 — Rose Dream 118
Dancing Star 118 — Colabow 107
Baba in Arms 113 — Miss English 113

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Wocatsie 111 — Toe Tap 108
Irish Blend 105 — Little Dixie 111
Starting Time 117 — Red Scamper 102
Chicks Delight 100 — Makai 120
War Willow 111 — Kawean 114
Dimples R 108 — Noen 106
Pattie M 108 — Star Affair 114
Misspyglass 105 — Sugarnspice 114

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Deline 104 — Yuba Mike 111
Better Wave 114 — Lovely Hardie 115
Stoke 114 — Primulet 107
Dyke 107 — Beach Belle 105
Budding Genius 110 — Bien Count 107
Pogbound 103 — Lord Reading 104
Factor 107 — Fonte Gaia 104
Dora LH 103 — War Cut 103

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Light Out 107 — Super Safe 101
Crystal Gazer 116 — Chaldia 114
Ihoe 104 — Portlands Bid. 114
Barginlass 111 — Gold May 105
Sacred Cow 104 — Sea Countess 110
Scots Fire 107 — Spring Formal 104
Redbachelor 115 — Good Joe 113
Pilot Anne 107 — Statistic 111

FIFTH RACE—One mile:
Button Up 114 — Ida Red 108
Bonner Reigh 111 — Don Ismael 120
Glade Holly 105 — Toube Wed 111
Bull Returns 117 — Dark Hawk 117
Square Off 111 — King Bolt 114
Pore Idea 115 — Should Reward 108
Claire Louise 106 — Don Dean 117
Switzler 106 — Peaceandfood 114

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Sun Ridge 109 — Sea Dreamer 114
Sunata 111 — Penace 117
Lady Swift 111 — Sudden Impulse 111
Pop Off 106 — High Fun 111

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Okey Smokey 108 — Pancho Supreme 113
Bullreighzac 108 — Singing Step 119
Repintado 113 — Gustaff 113
Akimbo 113 — Re Armed 116
Barsard 122

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:
Putandcall 117 — One Patch 113
Hypnos 111 — R U Kiddin 117
Saw Buster 120 — Meltonian 120
Lucky Regards 112 — Pore Boy 114
Lace Boots 102 — Val Sun 117
Shifty Roman 115 — First To Fly 115
Brave Reward 120 — April Caper 110
Nenos Boy 107 — Taywin 113

Post time, 1 p.m.

Fair Grounds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Lyds Pal 113 — Calm Bay 116
Blue Bonnet 112 — Dr Moore 116
Like You 112 — Framoelia 113
Last Crystal 106 — Tia 117
Als War Dog 111 — Lady Oscar 113
Lucky Gold 113 — Trim Pat 109
Merry Gold 113 — Bright Even 111
Jitters W 113 — Custom Bilt 116
Timus 120 — Minising 113

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Dare Hope 114 — Wild Heiress 109
Frolic Land 111 — Lady Lassator 114
Rhoda Beth 103 — Wrights Wrong 109
Araby Queen 115 — Georgia 109
So True 114 — Irish Mist 111
Pitful Fire 104 — Gay Judy 111
Scarlet Rhode 111 — Boxie 109
Chall Amaze 114 — Gracious Heart 109

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Grand Evening 106 — Guest Cup 107
Sweep Tiger 107 — Kathleen R 109
Juicy Bite 112 — Some Friend 111
Dependable 112 — My Little Miss 101
Constant Fear 102 — Raider Larue 112
Fighting Devil 112 — Miss Thrill 112
Our Betsy 104 — Gloaming 107
Red Frances 104 — Sweet Grace 112
Sea Sweet 107

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Ghost Ship 115 — Texas Jack 111
Gray Lator 111 — Speed Code 111
Odd Journey 118 — Rawlins 118
Court Verse 113 — Pennslam 115
Gerstner 118 — A Henry 113
Lady Jane S 108 — Fair Start 110
Bell Collector 118 — Abrams Road 118
Reputation 108 — Pentalba 111
Corn Spice 118

FIFTH RACE—Mile and quarter:
Ballast 118 — Leonidas 115
Jacalitos 115 — Chief Acres 115
Top Secret 110 — Land n Sea 115
Uncle Si 109 — Devilish Lad 114
Moston 107 — Off North 110
Sky Train 115

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Countess Molly 109 — Cheermeup 109
Evans Mountain 107 — Richavoo 115
No Parking 112 — Illustrate 115

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and sixteenth:
Wise Tiger 112 — Small Stuff 112
Army Cadet 112 — Penny Packer 112
King Gall 118 — Thornita 109
Gates Mills 107 — Applejack Jake 108
Nomeg 110 — Mitzi Helen 104
Lucky Do 104 — Mary M V 109
Ring True 108 — Wise Polley 104
Blow Hot 109 — Beths Bom 105
Dale Light 109

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and quarter:
Our Tommy 110 — Swift Hashion 112
Permanentpal 110 — Sabsag 111
Peggy Lewis 112 — Joe Valenti 115
Yankee Captain 115 — Roses Are Red 113
Nomorehash 111 — Dee Gee 115
Ourisaiah 115 — Spanaqua 115

Post time: 11.45 a.m.

Results Tropical Park

First Race—
Arcourt (Stout) $10.90 $5.10 $3.30
Parliament (Catalino) 6.10 4.00
Cock Crow (Layton) 4.30
Scratched: Gregalach, Chance Voyage, Bettin eBad, Hoops Charm.

Second Race—
Brave Lieut (Clark) $18.40 $11.30 $4.80
Bumbershoot (Passmore) 37.20 15.20
Hasty Bien (Wilson) 2.50
Scratched: Hasten On, Prickley, Our Slim, I Predict, Hot Hand.

Third Race—
Nottin (Hanford) $3.90 $2.90 $2.80
Whisk Off (Turco) 6.20 5.80
Hawkeye (Wall) 8.20
Scratched: Lindas Lady, Moon Boy, Maximal, Deerslayer.

Fourth Race—
New Wonder (Culmone) $4.10 $2.70 $2.30
Chain Shot (Robertson) 2.80 2.40
Caramba (Barrow) 3.20
Scratched: none.

Fifth Race—
P Nut Vendor (Church) $16.60 $8.20 $5.60
Ripplinghit (Wall) 10.00 6.90
Irish Sun (Batcheller) 6.90
Scratched: Lawful, Sylmady, Mr Ace, Larry Dooley.

Sixth Race—
Mighty Guest (Robertsn) $10.90 $3.40 $2.70
Mr Joe Puck (Burr) 2.50 2.30
Delta Eagle (Wilson) 2.80
Scratched: none.

Seventh Race—
Woodside (Picou) $8.90 $5.10 $3.40
Count Off (Wilson) 25.20 13.40
Miss Caroline (Schmidl) 6.00
Scratched: O G Kelly, Maudeaux, Don Pascal, Hook Up.

Eighth Race—
Pomander (Batcheller) $8.90 $8.10 $3.80
Summer Sun (Martin) 8.70 3.80
Swan Dive (Culmone) 2.70
Scratched: Mop Up, Her Gift.